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OUTLINES.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. McKinley took place at Canton, O., yesterday, with the simple Methodist service, and the remains were laid in the receiving vault with those of the late President McKinley till the completion of the McKinley mausoleum in eptember; President Roosevelt, Vice President Fairbanks and other distinguished men attended.——At the international cotton congress in Vienna, Austria, yesterday a resolution was adopted favoring the compression of cotton at ginneries so as to cheapen transportation; one hundred delegates from European countries accepted Harvie Jordan's invitation to visit Atlanta.——A typhoon, which recently swept over the Caroline Islands, swept hundreds of inhabitants to death and one island wholly disappeared, with its people. ——The reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will begin at Richmond today; last night a reception was given by the Richmod Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, at which Mrs. Margaret Howell Hayes, daughter of President Jefferson Davis, was an honored guest.——It is reported that Guatemalan troops are entrenching in anticipation of resisting an invasion by Mexican troops.——There was disquietude and unusual vigilance at Canton, O., yesterday on account of a rumor that a brother of Leon Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, would attend Mrs. McKinley's funeral; he was not there, however, having gone to Newcastle, Pa., to place flowers on his wife's grave; at Akron, O., President Roosevelt spoke briefly of the beautiful home life of the McKinleys.——C. J. Hamilton, an American sailor ,yesterday informed the State Department at Washington that the captain of the Argentine ship Jose Pedro proposed to him to aid in scuttling the ship, which was afterward lost at sea.——At Norfolk yesterday the topmasts of the battleship Virginia fell, fatally injuring one man and severely injuring another.——Queen Maud, of Norway, and the wife of President Fallieres, of France, narrowly escaped from a laudau in Paris yesterday when the horses pluged off a bridge into a lake.——New York markets: Money on call, easy, 1 1-2 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate, 1 3-4; closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 2; spot cotton, 25 points higher, closing steady at 12.50; flour, dull, but steady; wheat, firm; No. 2 red, 1.01 elevator; corn, firm; No. 2, 64 elevator; oats, steady; mixed, 55; turpentine, firm, 63 to 63 1-2; rosin, quiet; strained, common to good ,4.85.

Foraker will find out that Roosevelt is not a name to conjure with.

"People should economize with their parlor lights," advises a housekeeper. The most effective way is to do that is to turn the parlors over to courting couples.

Remarks the Louisville Courier Journal: "The Chicago wheat pit, Ohio politics and Sherman's definition of war closely resemble one another." This cold May weather also belongs to that category.

The New York Tribune (Rep.) remarks: "John W. Daniel is a Senator who would have reached distinction in the Senate at any period in that body's history." The Tribune has discovered the reason why Virginia sent Daniel to the Senate and keeps him there.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the State Normal College at Greensboro Tuesday afternoon, Dean Foust was chosen president to succeed the lamented Dr. McIver, who passed away about a year ago. The directors took their time and their deliberation has panned out well in the seleciton of Professor Foust.

Secretary Taft is always credited with holding don the lid, but since he has had such a boom for President it is suspected that when at Greensboro he kicked the lid when he threw off on North Carolina Republicans about their fights over the offices. He may need North Carolina's vote in the National Convention, but to all appearances he will have to evangelize for it.

It is stated that $100 counterfeit bills are in circulation in the central portion of North Carolina. Counterfeiters are mighty mean people, but by presuring that the people in middle Carolina handle $100 billes as ordinary change in the course of business, they pay a tribute to the prosperity of that region. The editors probably are living in mortal dread that they may have a handful of those spurious $100 bills palmed off on them.

Joe Goldsail, chief of the park police force at Cleveland, O., has been attacked by preachers for allowing hugging in the city park. Joe, however, quotes the Declaration of Independence as his defense, viz: "That all men are created free and equal, endowed with certain inalienable rights, among which are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." He says his opinion is that "hugging is certainly the pursuit of hapipness." No error. Opinion affirmed.

RESTRAINT OF TRADE

Interesting Point Raised By Attorneys in Case of Thorpe & Applegate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Argued That Agreement to Retire From River Was Contrary to 1901 Anti-Trust Law, and, Therefore, Was Illegal.

An interesting point was interjected into the hearing of the case of Charles Wessell against Thorpe & Applegate before Judge Long in the Superior Court yesterday by Hon. John D. Bellamy and C. D. Weeks, Esq., of counsel for the plaintiff, Capt. Wessell. It is the same case that has been dragging wearily along in the court since Monday morning with no prospect of reaching a conclusion before late this afternoon. The question involved, as previously stated, is one of the sale of good will, the defendants setting up as a counter-claim for non-payment of a note of $1,000 ,due the plaintiff as balance for certain tugboats and other paraphernalia, that the defendant, Wessell, agreed to transfer the good will of his business and not to enter again the same business. The defendants set out in their answer that Wessell did re-enter the business in competition with them, not only to the damage of $1,000 balance due on the purchase from him, but $5,000 in addition, the plaintiff Wessell being an experienced riverman and having practically destroyed the business sold to them by engaging in competition with the defendants, Thorpe & Applegate and succeeding firms and corporations.

The point raised by Messrs. Bellamy and Weeks yesterday was that the alleged contract was made in 1902; that the Legislature of 1901 passed a very drastic anti-trust law, whereby the alleged contract would have been illegal, even if it had been made, because under the law existing at that time it was a combination which sought to restrain trade and stifle competition. The point was admitted a very ingenious one, in spite of the strong argument to the contrary by ex-Judge E. K. Bryan and Messrs. Rountree & Carr, attorneys for the defendants. Judge Long thought sufficiently of the point raised by the attorneys to take the same under advisement, stating that he would give a ruling later. The trial progressed with the introduction of testimony, the witnesses examined during the day having been John D. Bellamy, Jr., Esq., and Thomas Lossen, for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Thorpe and Elliott recalled for the defence. At the conclusion of their testimony, the counsel began argument to the jury, after the noon recess, Messrs. Rountree and Weeks having spoken before adjournment was reached for the day at 5:15 o'clock. Messrs. Bellamy and Bryan are yet to speak and then will follow the ruling by Judge Long on the several points of law and the case will go to the jury.

It is said to be almost certain that the big damage suit of Meier against the Consolidated Company, will be taken up this afternnoon. It can hardly be concluded, it is thought, before the end of the week and may run into the following week.

OPENING OF THEATORIUM.

New Moving Picture Theatre Will Inaugurate Season Friday.

The Theatorium, the new moving picture theatre recently so handsomely fitted up on Market street, in the store formerly occupied by Sol. Bear & Co., will open its doors to the public Friday, and the public is cordially invited, ladies and children especially. The doors will open at 2 P. M., and for the opening ladies will be admitted free. Kneissel's Academy Orchestra will furnish the music for the opening and the general admission will be only five cents, the exception being ladies free as stated above. High class moving pictures, "The Great Passion Play," with illustrated songs, will be the opening bill, and all who attend are assured of a treat. It is said to be one of the prettiest theatres of its kind in the State.

49 STRAWBERRY CARS.

Movement Through South Rocky Mount on Tuesday Was Heavy.

Strawberry shipments through South Rock Mount on Tuesday were 49 solid refrigerator car loads and 449 crates by express. This is perhaps next to the heaviest day's shipments of the season. The distribution was as follows: Pittsburg, 10 cars; New York, 7; Newark, Philadelphia, Boston, and Buffalo, four each; Wilkesbarre, three; North Adams, and Cleveland, two each; Providence, Scranton ,Syracuse, Albany, Elmira ,Waverly, Ithaca, Toronto and Jersey City, one each.

The only official quotations Tuesday were, Philadelphia, 8 to 12 cents, and Boston, 11 to 13 cents per quart.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

People's Savings Bank—Deposit Quarter.

Business Locals.

Theatorium—Pianist Wanted.
J. W. Fleet Co.—Clerk Wanted.
Theatorium—Lady Cashier Wanted.
For Sale — Ponderosa Tomato Plants.

THE RHOE IMBROGLIO

Recalcitrant Pastor of First Baptist Church, Colored, Refuses to Vacate Pulpit—Efforts of Mutual Council to Culminate.

If anyone entertains an idea that the dissensions which recently rent in twain the fabric of the congregation of First Baptist Church, colored, of this city, have all been settled by the intervention of the white brethren, composing the mutual council which was regularly empanelled and reported to the church council, then the opinion thus entertained should be revised, for Rev. Rhoe, the "belligerent" pastor, refuses to vacate, and it looks very much as if the "belligerent" faction of the congregation will be unable to oust him. The following statement is published at the request of Dr. Fred D. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist Church, white, who was chiefly instrumental in the efforts at reconciliation:

"On March 4th, 1907, the First Baptist Church, colored, unanimously adopted a resolution calling for a mutual council to recommend a plan for the settlement of the then existing troubles in the church. The members of the council were named by Rhoe and his friends. All the members of the church agreed to abide by the decisions and recommendations of the council, provided they recommended nothing un-Baptistic. On March 18th, 1907, the mutual council made its report. Among the recommendations were that all the members who had been excluded, since the trouble began, be restored to membership, and all the members under discipline have the ban taken from them, and their privilege to vote restored. Another recommendation was that three months from that date, March 18th, 1907, Rhoe's resignation from the pastorate of the church should take effect.

"The mutual council's report was unanimously adopted, thus restoring the excluded members, and bringing back into voting fellowship those members under discipline, also fixing the date for Rhoe's pastorate to cease at June 18th, 1907. After this report was adopted, that night, Rhoe being moderator, the restored members voted on every question that came before the united church.

"Another resolution adopted on that night, following out the recommendation of the mutual council, was this: 'Resolved, That on condition that the church remain intact, and that when Pastor Rhoe leaves the the pastorate, when the three months have expired, all remain as members and co-operate as a church, we hereby appoint the trustees with the pastor, and McKaughan and Hale, to take the matter of settlement of the law-suits in hand, and are hereby authorized to have the suits withdrawn and make such arrangements for the settlement of the costs as they think best.'

"I negotiated the settlement of the law suits, bringing the costs down from $365 to $75, which the church paid in cash.

"At the first regular business meeting of the church, after the trouble had been settled, as above recorded, and without notification to the church that he was going to have himself recalled as pastor, Rhoe, through a part of his official members, and keeping the others ignorant of what he was doing, had himself fraudulently recalled as pastor, there being 24 members voting for him. The heretofore anti-Rhoe members, who were present, believing the transaction to be illegal, and out of order, did not vote at all. At this meeting Rhoe utterly repudiated, and ignored, and treated with contempt, the work of the mutual council, and the action of the united church in adopting its report.

"On Sunday morning before the next regular business meeting, which was to be the last one before Rhoe's resignation would take effect, a notice was officially handed to him, requesting that he announce the regular monthly conference meeting for the following Thursday night. He refused to make the announcement, publicly said that the 'Hell Hounds' were after him again, and that his advice to the church was to have no conference meeting for the next three months. Thirty-two of his friends voted for this while the great body of the church, believing the whole transaction illegal and out of order, did not vote at all.

"The church has dealt leniently and kindly with Rhoe, until patience has ceased to be a virtue; and the purpose now, after taking the usual steps in Baptist Church polity, in such cases, to see whether the laws of our country will allow him to assume the role of dictator and run roughshod over the will of the Church of Christ.

"The announcement made by the clerk of the church, and others representing that portion of the church who desire to sustain the action of the body in adopting the report of the mutual council, is as follows:

"'The regular monthly conference meeting of the First Baptist Church, colored, corner Fifth and Campbell, will be held at 8:30 o'clock tonight, Thursday, May the 30th.

"'Only members of the church are invited to be present, together with the members of the recent mutual council, whose report was adopted by the church on March the 18th.

"'If Rev. Rhoe will not have the church opened and lighted for this meeting, the conference will be held on the outside of the building, or we

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CITY BIDS OPENED

Proposals For Supplies For Ensuing Fiscal Year For The Municipality.

WERE OPENED YESTETDBY

Removal of Trash and Garbage Will Probably Be By Contract—All Matters Referred to Committees For Recommendation.

Pursuant to advertisement of the Mayor, bids for furnishing the city with supplies needed for the fiscal year ensuing June, the first, were received until yesterday morning at 11 o'clock and were a little later opened and referred to the various committees for recommendation of awards by the Board of Aldermen at its regular meeting Monday night of the coming week. There were present at the opening of the bids Mayor Springer, Chairman Bolles, of the Finance Committee; Chairman W. H. Yopp, of the Sanitary Committee; Chairman O'Brien, of the Streets and Wharves Committee, and a number of the bidders. At the same time bids for the supplies were opened, Chairman Yopp, of the Sanitary Committee, also opened bids for removing the city trash, garbage, etc., from the streets. This work has heretofore been done by the city, but the committee was of the opinion that the work could be done cheaper and more advantageously by private contract and this opinion seems to be justified by the proposals submitted yesterday. The lowest was by Messrs. J. M. Woolard and John J. Furlong at something like $2,000 per year less than the work is now being done by the city itself with its own teams and employes. At first it was decided to make recommendations as to the award of the several contracts but later it was decided to submit all bids to the respective committees and let them make recommendations to the Board of Aldermen. The bids and their reference were as follows:

Advertising—Jackson & Bell Company, 30 cents per inch flat each insertion, The Morning Star, 60 cents per inch for first insertion; 30 cents per inch for each subsequent insertion. Referred to Finance Committee.

Feeding Prisoners—Mrs. Jane Sheehan, 15 cents per meal, an advance of 2 1-2 cents on account of increased cost of provisions. Police Committee with recommendation that contract be awarded.

Removing Trash, Garbage, Slops, etc.—J. M. Woolard and John J. Furlong, $7,312 per year, agreeing to purchase city teams at price to be agreed upon by contractors and Sanitary Committee and to give bond for faithful discharge of contract. S. J. Davis, same service exclusive of purchase of teams and without tender of bond for two years at $10,000 per year. City Livery Company, same service for two years with tender of bond at $9,880 per year. Referred to Sanitary Committee.

Care of City live stock, feeding, shoeing and stabling and housing carts—City Livery Company at $15 per mouth. Referred to Streets and Wharves Committee.

Granite Curbing — Carolina Cut Stone Company, of Wilmington; 17 cents per lineal foot for 4 inches wide and 10 inches high, same as city has been receiving; five inches wide and 10 inches high, 18 cents; five inches wide and 14 inches high, 22 cents, all f. o. b. cars at Wilmington. J. T. Wyatt, Salisbury, N. C., 17 cents per lineal foot same as city has been receiving; also supplementary bid, four inches wide by 14 to 16 inches high, point top, ends jointed, 17 cents per lineal foot; four inches wide, 18 inches wide, point top and six down on front and three on the back, ends jointed, 30 cents. Streets and Wharves Committee.

Crushed Granite—J. T. Wyatt, Salisbury, three sizes, 90 cents per ton, three-quarter inches to one-quarter, $1.25 per ton f. o. b. cars at quarry. Streets and Wharves Committee.

Crushed Rock—C. H. Dock & Co., same as furnished before at quarry for $1.30 per ton, less six cents per ton rental. Streets and Wharves Committee.

Cement, Pipe, Lime and Terra Cotta Pipe—Roger Moore's Sons & Co., Tennessee Rock Lime 90 cents at warehouse, 95c delivered. Virginia Rock Lime, $1.00 at warehouse, $1.05 delivered. Alpha Portland Cement, $2.25 per barrel and $2.30 in bags with five cents additional for delivery. Good Building Clay Brick, $6.75 per M., at yard, f. o. b., cars here, $7.50; f. o. b. wharf, $7.75; delivered $8.00. Vitrified terra cotta pipe in car load lots f. o. b. Wilmington, 4-inche, 6c per foot; 5-inch, 7c; 6-inch, 8 1-2c; 8-inch, 12 1-2c; 10-inch, 19c; 12-inch, 28c; 15-inch, 38c; 18-inch, 52c; 20-inch, 68c; 24-inch, $1.05. Hooper & Flynn Co., hard building brick, $7.50 at wharf; delivered, $8.50. Selected extra paving brick, $12.50 at wharf and $13.50 delivered. Referred to Streets and Wharves Committee.

Care of Oil Lamps—J. B. Casteen, $960 per year. Light Committee.

Coal and Wood—Wm. E. Worth & Co., Anthracite, any size, $6.74; Toms Creek, $4.90; Jellico, $5.44. Steam coal,

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ARE OFF FOR RICHMOND

Wilmington Sends Big Delegation to Confederate Reunion—Large Party of Soldiers and Friends Leave This Morning.

Wilmington will be represented at the Confederate reunion at Richmond by a very large delegation. The number will be forty-odd veterans and quite a number of visitors, including both ladies and gentlemen. A party of twenty-one left on the Atlantic Coast Line train yesterday morning, a few others left last evening and thirty or more will leave on the northbound train this morning. Capt. R. W. Price, adjutant of Cape Fear Camp, has made a canvass of the membership, and is surprised at the number who have signified their willingness to once again touch elbows and keep step in the line of grey at the Confederate Capital. For all who have notified him of their purpose to attend he has telegraphed ahead for accommodations, and it is safe to say that all the old soldiers will be well taken care of by the hospitable Virginians.

Among those who will leave this morning for the reunion are Commander Metts, Adjutant Price, Col. J. W. Atkinson, Capt. W. P. Oldham, Rev. J. A. Smith, Messrs. J. W .West, J. M. Rogers, J. H. Hewett, J. O. Ormsby, O. M. Filyaw, L. Leon, J. T. Hancock, Jesse Wilder, T. P. Sykes, Wm .Skipper, Jesse Dicksey, T. E. King, J. A. King, W. L. Wilkins, J. A. Nunnerly, J. F. Johnson, T .J. Capps and A. J. Johnson, some of these being from adjoining counties, but all being within the jurisdiction of Cape Fear Camp Messrs. A. D. Brown and R. F. Hamme will join their comrades with others later in the week.

In addition to the veterans, Mrs. M. S. Willard and Mrs. Wm. Latimer will be present to represent Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, and other members will be Mrs. W. P. Oldham, Miss Mary Stockton and Miss Duralde Larkins. Mrs. R. W. Hicks and Mrs. T. C. Lewis also expect to attend later in the week.

The veterans are looking forward to a great occasion as this will be the last great reunion that will be held, for at no other place than Richmond can so large a strength of the U. C. V. be mustered, and many of the veterans will have passed over the river before it is Richmond's time to entertain again.

REVENUES NOT GUILTY

End of Trial of Downing and Stancil in Raleigh, N. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—The trial of D .C. Downing and J. C. Stancil deputy internal revenue officers, in the Federal Court on the charge of the murder of Watson Jernigan in Duplin county in 1903 while raiding the blockade still of Jernigan, continued today with evidence for the defense which is to the effect that Jernigan was killed, if he was killed at all by the officers, while they were in the discharge of their official duties and in self defense. The evidence for the prosecution has been to show that Jernigan was shot.. However there has been no eye witness to prove this; in fact, that the officer shot him at all.

The jury was given the case this evening and in twenty minutes returned a verdict of not guilty, which verdict had of course been expected all the while.

Adjutant General Robertson of the North Carolina National Guard has received the resignation of W. S. Morris as ensign of the Wilmington division naval malitia and has directed commandant H. M. Chase to call an election by the division for the successor to Morris.

RECTOR OF ST JOHN'S

Committee From Wilmington Parish Visits Richmond, Va.

The following is from the Richmond Times-Dispatch of Tuesday, reference no doubt being to a committee from St. John's Parish, this city, from the rectorship of which the beloved Rev. James Carmichael, D. D., recently resigned:

"The congregation of St. Mark's Episcopal Church were thrown into consternation Sunday evening when it was rumored that a delegation from a large Episcopal Church in Wilmington, N. C., had been present in the morning congregation. It is understood that the committee came here with a view to calling Mr. Darst as the rector of their church .

"Rev. Thomas C. Darst has been rector of St .Mark's in this city, for over two years, and under his able ministry the church has made excellent progress. Mr .Darst is the secretary of the committee on entertainment of the coming Episcopal Convention, and has lately given a large part of his time to the work of that committee. He stated yesterday that he had not heard of the visit of the Wilmington gentlemen except through the press."

All next week The great Religious Drama, "The Passion Play," of Oberammergau will be presented at the Theatorium, 20 Market street. **

Linotype operator wanted at once. Must be fast, accurate and sober. Union office. Good pay. Address, The Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C. 2t

For Straw Grips and Suit Cases go to Rehder's. **

Meet me at the Academy soon. **

BUDGET CONSIDERED

Estimates of Appropriations For All Departments of The City Government.

FOR ENSUING FISCAL YEAR

Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance in Conference Over Three Hours Last Night. Not Yet Complete.

The Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance were in session a little more than three hours last night in the office of the latter board, at the City Hall, the subject under consideration being the budget of expenses for the municipal government for the fiscal year ensuing June, the first. Most of the items in the budget were tentatively agreed upon, but the whole could not be completed and on account of the lateness of the hour at 11:15 o'clock an adjournment was taken until 8 o'clock this evening, when it is presumed the entire budget will be passed upon.

There were present at the conference last night Chairman McQueen and Messrs. Yates, Wilder, Tiencken and McNair, of the Board of Audit and Finance; Mayor Springer and Aldermen Karr, Rathjen, O'Brien, Wood, W. H. Yopp, Bolles, French, King and Jewell; Colonel C. H. White, assistant city clerk and treasurer; Captain T. D. Meares, clerk of the Board of Audit; City Engineer C. R. Humphrey; Chief of Police Williams; Fire Chief Charles Schnibben and several others interested in the proceedings. City Attorney Bellamy was present at the opening of the session and gave the opinion that tug boats could be included in the tax ordinance and license on these was fixed at $25 per year. Excursion steamers and steamboat companies were also allowed to remain in the tax ordinance and the City Attorney is to investigate their liability later.

In taking up the budget there was some discussion of the estimated revenue of the city for the ensuing fiscal year. It was stated that the property increase would be between $800,000 and $900,000 valuation and this was figured upon at $1.40 as the tax rate, having been reduced the night previous from $1.50 on the hundred. A conservative basis of the amount to be appropriated for all purposes was agreed upon at $222,000, against a total of $212,236 last year.

Under the head of "General Expense Account" the chairman of the Board of Audit and Finance reiterated his opinion as to the fixing of salaries being entirely in the hands of that body and there was no effort at an increase of salaries under this head which includes Mayor, Clerk and Treasurer, Assistant Clerk and Treasurer, Clerk of Board of Audit and Finance, Commissioner of Sinking Fund, City Attorney and Aldermen at $100 per year. There was a proposition to appropriate $600 for an assistant in the Treasurer's office for the year round instead of $150 for the employment of a man three months in the year, but this was looked upon with apparent disfavor and goes over for action by the Board of Audit and Finance with the arrangement of other salaries. The amount apportioned for commissions on back taxes was reduced from $800 to $500 as the amounts collocted each year, of course, are growing smaller and smaller.

Taking up the Police Department, Mayor Springer, chairman of that committee, made an earnest appeal for the increase of wages of all empolyes in that branch of the city government, saying that it was impossible to require good service of men, who were not sufficiently paid. He had arranged a schedule, based on an advance of 10 per cent. as follows: Chief $1,200 to $1,320 per year; captain, $900 to $1,000; four sergeants, $2.15 per day, an increase of 20 cents; 35 privates at $1.90 per day, an increase of 20 cents. Mr. McQueen suggested allowing salaries to be conditioned upon length of service with advances each year according to time and merit. These matters, however, were left with the Board of Audit and Finance and will be threshed out at their meeting with other salaries next Tuesday night. In view of the fact that overcoats are not to be purchased again this year, the uniform appropriation was reduced from $2,460 to $1,460. An increased appropriation of $300 was allowed for feed and care of police horses and the increase of appropriation for feeding prisoners from $700 to $1,000 per year was left open, the bid for this service having been increased from 12 1-2 to 15 cents per meal, or to 45 cents per day. The item for detective service was increased from $100 to $300 per year, the Mayor stating that any unexpended balance would not be wasted. In case of an emergency, $250 was added for an extra horse for police.

Chairman O'Brien made a lengthty report of the needs of the Streets and Wharves Committee and these affairs were discussed in connection with the proposed bond issue. Chairman McQueen gave it as his opinion that the bonds could be floated in six months and referred to the fact that it would be useless in the interim to make ap-

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OUR KNOTTY PROBLEM.

Says the Richmond Times-Dispatch: "The Times-Dispatch has said, and still believes, that the question of what is a reasonable and fair rate of transportation is a matter to be determined by judicial inquiry."

At any rate, by judicious if not judicial inquiry, or by both. A horizontal cut in rates on all railroads and systems without regard to their earning capacity, regardless of their varying degrees of debt, and without consideration for their necessary preparation for betterments or extensions simply means to cripple some of the railroad interests of the country. The public interests at the same time would be as badly affected as those of such railroads as probably would be halted in their progress, if not bankrupted. Abuses against the public must be corrected without committing abuses against railroad properties Abuses must be remedied without injury to the public or the railroads. We can't get away from the fact that if any railroad is injuriously affected, the public served by that railroad will suffer injury in proportion to the limitation of the road's equipment and efficiency in providing the country with proper passenger and transportation facilities.

The problem of dealing with the railroad question is a knotty one, and it must be solved in reason and justice and not according to wild-cat ideas or popular prejudices that have more or less good foundation and justification. If the joint interests of the railroads are to be conserved without injury to either and for the benefit of one without injury to the other, we quite agree with the level-headed Times-Dispatch that "it is a matter to be determined by judicial inqury," and also by judicious inquiry. We must hold the reins without making the bits cut the horse's mouth.

The problem is now in its experimental stage.

INSPIRING ADDRESS.

The North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts at Raleigh, was more than fortunate in having as its commencement orator on Tuesday night Hon. Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the Manufacturers' Record. The distinguished speaker was greeted by an immense audience at Pullen Hall, and was fittingly introduced by Editor Josephus Daniels, of the Raleigh News and Observer.

Mr. Edmonds spoke on the South—its past and future, a subject upon which he is eminently prepared to speak. The News and Observer alluded to him as "the foremost industrial journalist of the world," and we are prepared to agree with that estimate of the editor of the Manufacturers' Record, which has been the greatest influence in an industrial development in the South never achieved by any publication within our knowledge Mr. Edmonds, as the head of the South's great industrial paper, has been the one acknowledged factor in shaping the movement for the tremendous development of the South's resources, and his speech in Raleigh was a powerful inspiration for the young men of North Carolina's industrial educational institution. He spoke particularly to the graduating class, and his address was not only an invaluable historical review, but an inspiriting portrayal of the glorious industrial future of the South. He told of the marvelous growth of the South in recent years, and necessarily had to precede it by a history of the prostrate condition of this section following the Civil war and the reconstruction period. It was a thrilling address, and the distinguished speaker's statistical presentation of the South's progress at the present, and its prospects for the future is sufficient to inspire Southerners with lofty pride and abiding confidence.

FINE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.

The Columbia State on Wednesday issued an "educational edition," and it was not only a unique undertaking, but an altogether successful and admirable achievement. It was a 28-page newspaper, carrying the full complement of telegraphic news and general newspaper features, in addition to which there were some twenty pages devoted to the score or more of universities, colleges and institutions for higher education in South Carolina. The educational feature consisted of sketches of the various seats of learning, cuts of buildings, and the photogravures of the faculties and graduating classes of the various institutions. The work was admirably executed, and every feature and detail so thoroughly mastered that the State accomplished a difficult and splendid achievement that reflects great credit on that enterprising and superior newspaper, that will result in untold benefit to the cause of education, and which will prove of far-reaching and lasting benefit to the State of South Carolina.

Columbia is fortunate in having such a paper as The State—a really State newspaper that measures up to a high standard of ability in its editorial conduct, is thorough-going as a purveyor of news, and as to management is capable of the enterprise and ability that conceives and so successfully gets out an edition of the scope and elaborateness of the educational number before us.

The State could not be engaged in a better work than in encouraging the cause of education—the laudable purpose which inspired the editors and management in producing that "educational edition."

SPEAKER CANNON'S VISIT.

The Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, Speaker of the House of Representatives, is a distinguished visitor to North Carolina this week. He is a native of this State, and on Tuesday arrived at Greensboro, about seven miles from which city he was born in Guilford county. Last night he delivered the commencement address at Guilford College, near Greensboro. Speaking of Mr. Cannon's visit to Greensboro on Tuesday ,a correspondent says:

"Speaker Joseph G. Cannon arived here this morning from Washington and was breakfasted at the Benbow Hotel by a committee of citizens. After breakfast an informal reception was given in the lobby, many callers being present. At ten o'clock an automobile brigadde escorted him to Guilford battleground, where he was welcomed by the president of the company, Maj. Joseph M. Morehead, who was busy superintending the erection of two monuments to be dedicated on July 4.

"A luncheon was served at the grounds by Mrs. Petty and Mrs. Crawford, of Greensboro, Mr. C. D. Benbow having provided for the comfort of all. From the battleground a trip was taken to the birthplace of the speaker, on the Smith farm, four miles distant. After viewing this sacred spot, evidently much impressed, Mr. Cannon was taken to Guilford College, two miles distant, and spent an hour viewing the site of the little old school house in which his father, Horace Cannon, taught sixty-five years ago, before migrating to Illinois.

"The site of New Garden Church was also visited, and from there the party stood over the graves of the speaker's grandfather and grandmother. Isaac and Rebekah Hollingsworth ,marked by neat headstones."

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY.

The Atlantic Monthly for June has been received in The Star sanctum, and it is not necessary to say that its monthly visits are always anticipated with keen interest. It is a prime favorite with those who are looking for solid, edifying and elevating matter. The Atlantic Monthly caters to the best thought and the June number, with its superior table of contents does so to a notable degree. In it we get the best of fiction, romance, poesy, contributed productions and miscellaneous matter. This superior magazine is sold at 35 cents per copy, and is sent to subscribers for $4.00 per annum . Address Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 4 Park Street, Boston.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The senatorial contest will probably be the stellar feature of the state campaign which will be shaping up this time next summer.—Columbia Record.

—What a proud day it must have been for Captain Hanna of the Salvation Army in Greenville when the citadel, costing nearly $6,000, and the first building of its kind in the South, was dedicated Sunday afternoon. The successful work and the charitable undertakings of these people is realy astounding. What unselfish and unceasing devotion to a great cause it must have taken to accomplish such a thing?—Greenville (S. C.) News.

—It is reported that a "boy operator" in Chicago recently cleared up $30,000 in the wheat pit, and he is doubtless the envy of every other boy of his acquaintance. But he ought to be a warning. The chances are that he will plunge again and lose all his winnings and more. It is morally certain that he has been completely spoiled for any useful occupation. He has caught the get-rich-quick fever, and honest toil and small profits will have no further attraction for him.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—There is an evil, growing with alarming rapidity, the results of whose maddening influence are told us almost daily in a fearful court-diary of crime of every phase; an evil far more deadly in its results; more capable of carrying want and misery; far more rapid in its onslaught than the whiskey evil—and that evil is what we commonly speak of as the "dope" habit. Hundreds of lives are being wrecked; the suicide list grows in geometrical progression; the number of crimes is doubled and trebled almost annually through the effects of this deadly habit. Persons hauled into the police courts on various charges, when examined, in many cases are found to be addicted to the use of cocaine. Especially is this habit growing in the South, and especially prevalent is it among the negroes. It is getting to be common in our own courts to see cocaine sufferers hauled up, on charges varying in their seriousness, having committed these crimes when under the maddening spell of this deadliest of all varieties of dope, cocaine. In many cases of criminal assault the perpetrator is found to be a victim of the drug.—Charlotte News.

TWINKLINGS.

—Mrs. Henpeck—President Roosevelt wants to choose his own successor. Henpeck—So do I.—New York Sun.

—Nell—After all, what is the difference between one man's kisses and another's? Lill—Sometimes days.—Illustrated Bits.

—"Tell me, Fanny, how much would you give to have blonde hair like mine?" "I do not know. How much did you give?"—Il Motto per Ridere.

—"When your mother-in-law fell into the water, why didn't you help to get her out?" "My dear madam, you must know that nothing I've ever done has pleased her,"—Judy.

—Mrs. Knicker—"Do you think poker or racing the worse?" Mrs. Bocker—"Racing. Charles dosen't give me any presents after it."—New York Sun.

—Double Transportation—"George, mother is coming to say a month with us. I wish you would send her a railway ticket to come here." "I'll do better than that. I'll send her a round-trip excursion ticket good for five days."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—The Needy One—"I say, old chap, could you lend me five shillings for a day or two?" The Other One—"My dear fellow, the five bob I lend is out at present, and I've several names down for it when it comes back."—The Tatler.

—The Tough Flour—"I wish to complain," said the Easter bride, haughtily, "about that flour you sold me. It was tough." "Tough, ma'am?" stammered the grocer. "Yes, tough. I made a pie of it and my husband could hardly cut it."—Chicago Chronicle.

—The Modern Needle's Eye. "Oh, Mr. Milyuns!" "Well?" "Do you think a rich man can go through the eye of a needle?" "I don't know, my boy. However, I will say that my lawyers have dragged me through some very small loopholes."—Kansas City Journal.

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BEAUFORT PLANS BIG CELEBRATION

Completoin of New Railroad Arouses People—Entrance of Norfolk and Southern Into Town Will Be Celebrated June 8th.

(Raleigh News an Observer.)

Beaufort, N. C., May 28.—The people of Beaufort do not believe in doings things by halves, and they are preparing on a mammoth scale for the celebration on June 8th, when from 5,000 to 10,000 visitors are expected. All the railroads have made greatly reduced rates, and the committee on entertainment has cordially invited the public to attend this celebration of the completion of the Norfolk and Southern Railway into the town. It bids fair to be the greatest occasion of its kind ever pulled off in North Carolina ,and in this respect will be in keeping with the well-known hospitality of the good people of Beaufort.

The programme is as follows:

Master of Ceremonies—Mr. N. W. Taylor.

Prayer—Rev. J. H. Frizelle.

Address of Welcome—Hon. Charles L. Abernethy, Solicitor of Third Judicial District.

The Norfolk and Southern Railway and Beaufort—Mr. F. S. Gannon, President of the Norfolk and Southern Railway.

Our Material Resources, Our Duty in Their Development—Hon. R. B. Glenn, Governor of North Carolina.

Relation of Railroad Construction to Development of Beaufort Harbor—Hon. F. M. Simmons, United States Senator.

Commercial Upbuilding of Eastern North Carolina—Hon. Charles R. Thomas, Member of Congress, Third North Carolina District.

What the Development of Beaufort Harbor Means for Western North Carolina—Hon. Lee S. Overman, United States Senator.

Railway and Waterway Transportation—Hon. John H. Small, Member of Congress, First North Carolina District .

Short addresses by other distinguished North Carolinians.

Fish fry, barbecue and picnic dinner.

Competitive drill between Goldsboro Kinston, Washington military companies, and New Bern and Beaufort Naval Divisions.

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Presentation of flags to successful contestants in competitive drills—Maj. B. F. Dixon, of Raleigh .

Music by Second Regiment Band of Kinston, and K. of P. Band of Newbern.

Chief Marshal—Mr. Thos. Thomas.

The Honorable George B. Cortelyou, Secretary of the Treasury, has ordered the revenue cutter Seminole, now stationed at Wilmington, to be present on this occasion, and to carry the Governor, State officers and North Carolina delegation in Congress over the harbor and channel improvements and out to sea, and as far as Cape Lookout.

All the State officials, including the Supreme Court, have been invited to attend. The Governor's and Adjutant General Robertson's staff will be present in full regimentals. This will be a day that will go down in the history of North Carolina as an appropriate celebration of the beginning of great industrial and commercial development in Eastern North Carolina.

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The Morning Star.

Thursday, May 30, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, May 30, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Wednesday, May 29:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 64 degrees; at 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 72 degrees; minimum, 52 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, 5.18 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Wednesday 4.1 feet.

Forecast

For North Carolina—Showers Thursday in west, probably cloudy in east portion, Friday showers, variable winds.

Port Almanac—May 30.

Sun Rises .. ..4:45 A. M.
Sun Sets .. ..7:10 P. M.
Day's Yength .. ....14 hrs., 19 min.
High water at Southport 10:03 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 12:33 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Jesse W. Hodges, of Ferguson, S. C., is in the city on a visit to relatives.

—Mr. Walter Davis is on a visit to his brother, Mr. W. E. Davis, in Richmond, Va.

—Miss Goldie Stein has returned from New York where she has been pursuing her studies in art.

—Mr. W. H. Banck of this city, a student at the A. &. M. College at Raleigh, has returned to the city to spend his vacation.

—Messrs. Thos. F. Wood and Louis Belden, two of Wilmington's most popular students at the University the past year, are at home to spend the Summer vacation.

—Mrs. P. Q. Moore and children left yesterday morning for Richmond, Va., where they will spend some time the guests of Mrs. Moore's brother, Mr. J. G. Hardin.

—Major L. Leon, chief of ordnance of the Second Brigade, U. C. V., left for Richmond yesterday morning to attend the Confederate reunion. He was accompanied by Mrs. Leon.

—Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. Fred Butler, of Wilmington, was here to attend commencement and visit his sister, Miss Florence Butler, at the Baptist University."

—Mrs. T. E. Davis, daughter, Miss Minnie, and two sons, Masters Herbert Cicero and Tom E. Davis, Jr., have gone to Richmond and Lynchburg, Va., to visit friends and relatives for two or three weeks.

—Messrs. George Penny, R. L. Holmes and Ed Boushee had as their guest for a fishing trip down the river Tuesday, Mr. Hatcher, of the Dead Shot Powder Company, who has been in the city several days as a guest of the Wilmington Gun Club.

—Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. Emmett E. Levy is in the city visiting relatives and friends contemplating the joys of countrylife , and his friends report that his desire is to have some place called Levy's cross roads, and to own a store where stamps, cheese, crackers and sardines are sold."

—Richmond News-Leader: "Miss Elizabeth Wheat has arrived home from the Stuart school, Washington, D. C., for her vacation, and has as her guests two schoolmates, Miss Madge Johnson, of Rock Hill, S. C., and Miss Isabel Smallbones, of Wilmington, N. C."

—Miss Mary Baldwin Mitchell and Miss Mary Elizabeth LeGwin were among the Wilmington students who returned last evening from the State Normal at Greensboro. Miss Mitchell had the honor of being one of the marshals for commencement and Miss LeGwin was one of the members of the graduating class. The past year at the State Normal was one of the most successful in the history of the institution, 461 students from 87 counties having been enrolled.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Two Sent to County Roads—One To Higher Court.

in the Mayor's Court yesterday George Grady, colored, was charged with stealing a bag of coal from the Atlantic Coast Line shops ,and was bound over to the higher court in a $25 bond. On another charge, that of vagrancy ,he was given 30 days on the county roads.

Neal McArthur, colored, charged with vagrancy was also given a 30-day job.

Mansfield Reddy, colored, charged with trotting his team aroond a corner at Front and Market streets, was fined $5 and costs.

John Isom, colored, and Lewis Brown, white, for the same offence were taxed with the costs.

John Roberson, colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly at Fourth and Castle streets, was let off with the costs.

Wilmington Gun Club.

At a called meeting last night at the office of President B. G. Empie, the Wilmington Gun Club adopted rules and regulations governing the grounds near Delgado and a copy was ordered sent to each member of the organization. At the regular weekly shoot at the traps tomorrow the Club will hold another meeting, to take action in regard to having a tournament here in July. All members are requested to be present. A tier of seats has been placed on the grounds for the convenience of members and visitors. The ladies especially are invited at any time.

Every woman of refinement appreciates a radiant, beautiful complexion, which is so much admired by men. Such complexions come to all who use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Tea or Tablets, 25 cents. J. H. Bunting Drug Co.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Fred Simmons, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer M. P. Newton, charged with throwing stones in the streets in the vicinity of Eighth and Ann streets.

—The Hanover Seaside Club at Wrightsville Beach is now open to the convenience of members. The date for the formal opening will be announced later.

—The Eastern North Carolina Rural Carriers' Association will meet here today, the opening session being held in the Elks' Temple at 11 o'clock this morning. The annual election of officers will take place and delegates will be elected to the State convention at Durham on July 4th.

—National Memorial Day will be celebrated with a procession to the National cemetery from Mabel Hall by the G. A. R. Camp here this afternoon. The address will be by Rev. E. Robert Bennett, one of the foremost colored men in the city.

—For the Summer season the local insurance agencies will give half holiday on Saturdays. Heretofore they have closed every Friday for half a day, but this year they have changed the time to the last day of the week.

—On the local naval stores market yesterday rosin was quoted quiet at $4.30. Twelve hundred barrels were offered, however, at that figure and no sales were reported by the Chamber of Commerce. Tar advanced and was quoted firm at $2.40.

—Robert Smith, an insane colored man wandering around in the vicinity of Ninth and Green streets yesterday afternoon, was arrested at the request of residents in the neighborhood by Officer M. P. Newton. He will be held for the county authorities.

—The schooner Charlotte T. Sibley, 358 tons, Captain Coombs, arrived yesterday, light, from New York to C. D. Maffitt and will receive cargo here. The barque Hancock 348 tons, Captain Erb, arrived from Philadelphia with cargo for the Springer Coal Company.

—The Revenue Cutter Seminole dropped down to Southport yesterday in connection with the wreck of the schooner Stanley H. Minor, which is lying on Battery Island there. The vessel was recently purchased at public sale in this city by Pendleton Brothers, of New York, and her cargo of lumber is being brought up to this city in barges.

—Messrs. W. A. French, Jr., B. A. Merritt, J. S. McEachern, Jr., J. F. Jarman, W. P. Drew, G. L. Allen and J. Holmes Davis, Captain Jesse D. Price and Drs. C. T. Harper and R. E. Markham, a party of Wilmington Masons returned to the city yesterday morning at 4 o'clock from Southport, where they were the guests of the members of Pythagoras Lodge of that town.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed For Record at The Court House Yesterday.

The following deeds were filed for record at the court house yesterday:

Mary H. Willard and others, to Thos. H. Wright for $1 and other considerations, quit claim deed to property on east side of Ninth street, 109 feet south of Castle, 44x70 feet in size.

J. D. Bender and wife, to John W. Foreman and wife, for $1,600, property on east side of Sixth, 206 1-2 feet north of Castle, being a part of lots 3 and 4, in block 92, according to the official plan of Wilmington.

W. M. Cumming and wife to Peter Bowens and others, trustees, for $200, property on south side of Dawson, 33 feet east of Eleventh street, 66x100 feet in size.

J. W. Knowles and wife to S. P. Bowens and others, trustees, for for $50, property on southeast corner of Eleventh and Dawson street, 33x 50 feet in size.

George O. Gaylord and wife, to Mrs. Mary Johnson, for $400, property on east side of Dickinson street, 171 feet south of Fanning, 60x68 1-2 feet in size.

Godfrey Hart and wife to Geo. E. Burnett and wife, for $100 and other considerations, property at northwest corner of Sixth and Dawson streets, 198x165 feet in size, more or less.

Geo. E. Burnett and wife to Thos. H. Wright, for $100 and other considerations, part of lot described above, 37x75 feet in size, more or less.

Student's High Stand.

Mr. Louis Hicks Williams, son of Mr. M. McD. Williams, of Faison, N. C., recently received the "Horne Scholarship" medal, at Horner's Military School, for the highest average in his studies for the term, average 98. He also was representative of the Washington Society, and received the orator's medal, this medal being the third he has won in the past twelve months, having been awarded the "Wells' Medal" in the declaimers' contest between the the Faison and Clarkton High Schools, which took place at the Abbie Chadbourn Memorial Hall in this city.

Death of Their Infant.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. S. E .Loftin will sympathize with them in the death of their infant daughter, Edith Elizabeth, aged one year and eight months, which occurred last night at 7:15 o'colck at the family home at the Rountree House, on Market street. The funeral will be conducted from St. James' this afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the interment will be in Oakdale.

All next week The great Religious Drama, "The Passion Play," of Oberammergau will be presented at the Theatorium, 20 Market street. **

DIED.

At home of parents at 7:15 P. M. Wednesday, May 29th, 1907, Edith Elizabeth, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Loftin, aged one year and eight months. Funeral at St. James Church at 4 o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon. Interment at Oakdale. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

Academy to be jolly and gay. **

BUDGET CONSIDERED

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propriations for permanent work unless an arrangement could be made for the money thus expended to be reimbursed when the bonds are floated upon which legal advice would have to be sought. There was much repair work to be done, however, and Mr. O'Brien presented the needs of the department at length. He asked an increase of the salary of the superintendent of streets from $900 to $1,000 and the street hands and drivers, 32 men, from $1.25 to $1.50 per day. One foreman he asked be increased from $9 to $12 per week. When the item of caring for and keeping the teams in this department was reached and it was noted that the bid for the service had been increased from $13 to $15 per month, Chairman McQueen and others strongly advised the building of stables by the city and the purchase of feed by the car load for all live stock belonging to the municipality. The city pound near Fourth and Princess was suggested as suitable ground for these stables, objections of property owners to the contrary notwithstanding. It was stated that an immense saving could be had and all present seemed to favor the proposition, which was referred to the Public Building Committee. Mr. O'Brien read in detail what was wanted in his department and a long discussion arose as to whether the city rock quarry contract should be renewed with C. H. Dock & Co., Mr. McQueen and several members of the Board of Audit and Finance taking the position that better material could be secured more economically and satisfactorily. The Mayor advocated the use of the rock from the quarry and treating the surface of the macadam with petroleum products was suggested. Mr. King strongly urged that macadam roadways be extended into the outlying districts, saying that if residents in these sections waited for brick pavements the amount at hand would be expended long before they were reached. In the same connection the Mayor stated that streets already built would testify to the fact that the material now being used was more lasting than the proposed crushed granite, which cost more.

In this connection Chairman O'Brien recommended that the city engineer devote all his time to city work and be paid a stipulated salary. Mr. Humphrey was present and stated that such an arrangement would be satisfactory to him. This, however, was left with the Finance Board. In the same connection it was ordered that the Consolidated Company be notified that they would be expected to pay for the sfervices of the engineer in supervising the work of laying their double track now in progress.

After further discussion of the requirements of this department, the matter was left open until the meeting tonight.

Chairman French presented the needs of the Fire Department with supplemental remarks by Chief Schnibben, Alderman Rathjen and others. The salary increases are as follows: Chief, $1,410 to $1,500 per year; assistant chief, $900 to $1,000; five assistant foremen at $57,50 per month; four foremen and two engineers at $60; Superintendent of Fire Alam at salary of $840 and 23 firemen at $55 each (increased from $50), uniform included in all to be paid for by men. Mr. French then recommended that all firemen be graded according to service, substitutes to be paid $45 per month, one year men $50 and two year men, $55, continuous service only to count in the gradation. The item for feed of horses was increased from $2,030 to $2,250 conditioned upon the arrangement for buying in car-load lots and an extra amount was included for new fire alarm boxes at Seventh and Brunswick and Front and Princess streets. Repairs to engine houses were estimated at $800 while a general plan was submitted by Mr. French for building a central fire station to be occupied by the Chemical Engine Company and the Hook and Ladder Company on the present site of the Chemical engine house, the whole to cost $9,000 and the Hook and Ladder house lot on Dock street to be sold to meet part cost. This was tentatively agreed upon by those present. It was also agreed in the same way to purchase a pair of new horses for the service and a horse and buggy for the chief of the department, as the present horse and vehicle is owned by him individually and is becoming unfit for the service. There was also an appropriation allowed for a combination hose wagon and chemical engine to be stationed as thought best, the amount being $2,000.

Chairman Jewell presented the needs of the Public Building Department. It was suggested that the two janitors now employed at the City Hall be transferred wholly to the police department and that a janitor be employed at $45 per month to do the menial work required with $200 per year for extra help required. This was left open until tonight. He also asked $1,500 for repainting the City Hall, relaying concrete in the station house and paving around the hall. This was agreed to. He asked for an appropriation for some work in the Academy of Music but was told that under the contract all needed repairs were to be made by the lessees.

Chairman W. H. Yopp engineered the Sanitary appropriaton through, stating that the Board of Aldermen had asked for two extra health officers but the superintendent had advised him these were not needed and he could not recommend them. He then presented the advantages of the contract system of removing the city garbage and slops, explaining the lowest bid of Messrs. Furlong & Woolard, as given in another column of today's paper. It was stated that the same men in this department would be retained so long as they performed their duty satisfactorily and that the contractors would take the city teams off the city's hand at a reasonable price, giving bond for the faithful performance of the contract. Messrs. Furlong and Woolard were both present and Mr. Furlong replied hotly to an intimation of Mr. Karr that negroes would be employed in the place of white men. The contractors said they had no such idea, Mr. Furlong going on to say that he had never employed as many negroes as Mr. Karr had. Members of the Board of Audit and Finance showed where a saving of something like $2,000 would result and thought it was a capital idea to let this work by contract instead of the unsatisfactory system that is now employed. In case the plan is not adopted, Chairman Yopp said that he would ask for the same increase of pay for the men as was given to other employes of like character and would ask that L. M. Bryant be awarded the slop cart contract in spite of the fact the committee had a lower bid; also that Mr. Owen, an experienced man, be placed in charge of the drains, etc, at a salary increased. The Board of Audit and Finance asked some expression from the Aldermen present as to their position on the trash contract proposition and the Mayor called for a rising vote, only Messrs. Karr, O'Brien and King voting ni the negative and five others present voting in the affirmative. Messrs. Wood and Northrop were not present. The Mayor said that he would break the tie of those present by voting for the contract on the simple grounds that the city would save $2,000 by the transaction.

The hour was late when the discussion of these matters had been apparently completed and after a most tedious session, the conference took a recess until tonight at 8 o'clock when the budget will be completed.

CITY BIDS OPENED

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Admiralty R. O. M., $3.69. Toms Creek, $3.95, both in car lots; from yards $4 and $3.75. Oak wood, cut, $1.36 per load, four feet, $1.25; Pine wood, cut, $1.26; 4 feet, $1.15. Springer Coal Company, Pennsylvania Anthracite, $6.25; Jellico lump, $5.20; highest grade bituminous steam coal, $4.20. Public Building Committee.

Garbage Cans—J. W. Murchison & Co., 18x28, $26.61 per dozen, $5 extra for covers; same reinforced by wood stays, $31.08 and $5 for covers, subject to cash discount. Sloan & Sweeney, 50 cans with hardwood strips, 18x26 with covers, $126; same with triangular metal strips, $142.50. Sanitary Committee.

Lighting—Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company, 117 or more arc lamps, as now located, $65 per year, with new installations at $25 each if within 800 feet of present lines. Current for fire alarm battery, $18 per year. Gas for public buildings, $1.45 per thousand cubic feet. Incandescents for five fire houses, market houses and City Hall, 8 cents per thousand watts as registered by meter. 73 Welsbach Street Lamps and care of same at $28 per year, city to furnish posts. Light Committee.

THE RHOE IMBROGLIO

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will adjourn to the Central Baptist Church.

"'We request Rev. Fred D. Hale to see that this announcement is made through the press of this city, with such explanations as he may think best, in reference to this meeting.

"'(Signed) Joseph Cogdell, L. W. Wheeler, Richard Baskerville, W. E. Murphy, P. C. Smith, H .T. Hopkins, Rev. Blocker, Charles Carroll, David Biggters, S. R. White, S. H. Harris, L. C .Covington, W. J. Hawkins.'"

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$12.50 to $15.00 Coats and Pants, in Blue Serge and fancy Cashmeres, this sale $9.50.

$1.50 Black Mercerized Office Coats, this sale 98c.

$3.00 Blue Serges and Black Alpaca odd coats, nicely made, in all sizes, this sale $2.25.

Men's Trousers.

$5.00 Light and Fancy, this sale, $3.50.

White Duck Pants, all sizes, nicely made, $2.00 quality, this sale, $1.50.

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Read Star Business Locals.

Dominated by a Woman.

[Original.]

Women often dominate men whose wills are stronger than theirs. They have different ways of accomplishing this, but they are all of the same genus—an advantage of sex.

We of the police are constantly subjected to this domination of women. We therefore often appear to err in judgment or in ordinary caution, while we err in neither, being simply mastered by the woman and forced to do her bidding. I was once sent with a single assistant to go and make an arrest. The offender was a woman who lived in luxury and refinement. Of course we went in plain clothes. Leaving my assistant at the door, I entered on being bidden to do so by a maid and asked to see the lady. The maid asked so many questions as to my business that, having been warned against slipperiness, I went upstairs and straight into a large room used for a boudoir. A lady—I had her photograph in my pocket—rose from a lounge and confronted me.

"Madam," I said, "I am sorry to have to place you under arrest."

The look she gave me made me feel all there is of contempt that could possibly pertain to my errand. It said to me without a word of speech: "You have come unbidden into a lady's private room. You are on a level with the brute." Had the words been spoken they would likely not have affected me. As it was, I felt abject shame. Then in a twinkling her manner changed to a sort of friendliness.

"I see," she said in a voice full of melody, "you are a police officer not in uniform, but still an officer. You are simply doing your duty. May I ask what you are going to do with me?"

I explained to her that I would be obliged to conduct her to the station, where in default of bail she would be locked up.

"I do not think," she said, "that I, having lived so far above such things, could survive an hour in a cell. If you will permit I can attend to the bail before leaving here. I ask your permission to send a messenger to an attorney asking him to come here and take charge of my case from the beginning. I am completely ignorant of such matters."

Somehow the look she gave me, taken with a certain reasonableness of the request, decided or, rather, dominated me. I told her to write her message and I would direct a man I had posted at the door to allow her messenger to pass. She was going into the next room when I stopped her.

"Surely," she said, "you do not expect me to go to the police station in this costume?"

How could I? She was en deshabille. I permitted her to go both to write the note and change her dress. She told me that to save time she would send her messenger first and don another costume afterward. As soon as she disappeared I stepped into the hall and saw that the room she entered had no egress except by the boudoir. This satisfied me. Not ten minutes after her disappearance a young man of swarthy complexion and a black mustache, with a note in his hand, hurried out of it, passed me and went downstairs. I called to my man to suffer him to pass.

If the lady was expeditious in sending her note, she certainly took her time in changing her dress. I waited both for the return of the messenger and for her reappearance. I waited in vain for both. I went to the door leading into the adjoining room and listened. I could hear no sound. Suddenly a great misgiving welled up within me. I opened the door and entered.

There in a heap on the floor were the clothes she had worn at my coming. An enormous coil of hair lay on the dresser. A box of brown dye stood uncovered before a mirror. The lady had passed out as her messenger.

I sprang downstairs and to the nearest telephone, where I confessed what had occurred to the chief. He told me that he would have the railway depots watched, but as a steamer was to sail within an hour I had better go there myself, since the culprit would be more likely to get out of the country than simply out of the city. I followed his directions and proceeded without delay to the dock.

Passengers were beginning to arrive. I made a search of the ship, then took position at the gangway, where I scrutinized every person who entered. I saw no one whom I considered could possibly be my escaped prisoner. The gangway was being withdrawn when a carriage drove up hurriedly, the door opened, and a fat woman wearing dark spectacles jumped out. She was very much excited, evidently for fear of being left, sputtering French and waddling to the gangway, which she mounted as it was being withdrawn. She was the last passenger to go aboard, and when she had done so I went away with a heavy heart. I would be reprimanded by the chief and be the laughingstock of the rest of the force.

One day a cabman stopped me on the street and asked:

"Cap, was you lookin' for some one to go out on the steamer last week?"

"Yes. Why do you ask?"

"Well, I drove the old Frenchwoman to the ship. She was a young man when she got in. Maybe she was the one you was lookin' for."

Now, what I maintain is that no man could have got me into this scrape. Nor was I made a fool of in this case. I knew I had no business to grant what the woman asked. I granted it because she compelled me to grant it. But this did not save me from the consequences of my act.

D. FISK BRADY.

BASEBALL.

American League.

Washington, 0; New York, 2.
Chicago, 6; St. Louis, 5.
Cleveland, 9; Detroit, 5.
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0.
Second game: Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 3 (12 innings).

National League.

New York, 15; Philadelphia, 1.
Boston, 5; Brooklyn, 8.
St. Louis, 0; Cincinnati, 1.

Virginia League.

Portsmouth, 4; Roanoke, 5.
Norfolk, 4; Lynchburg, 2.
Danville, 3; Richmond, 0.

South Atlantic League.

Augusta, 0; Charleston, 0.
Columbia, 1; Jacksonville, 2.
Savannah, 4; Macon, 2.

Southern League.

Montgomery, 3; Little Rock, 10.
Birmingham, 1; Shreveport, 1 (12 innings.)

"Buck" High, a 15-year-old negro, was hanged at McDonough, Ga., yesterday for criminal assault upon a four-year-old white girl last March.

The Supreme Court of Virginia, at Richmond yesterday denied the appeal of John Hardy, the negro who murdered Policeman R. M. Beard, for a new trial. Hardy shot Beard while the latter, together with other officers, were raiding a place in northwest Roanoke last October. He was convicted and sentenced to hang. He will now be re-sentenced to death.

Reims' Rare Tapestries.

One feels the interior of Reims cathedral to be immense without searching the guidebook for actual figures of length and height. One feels it to be splendid without looking at the detail of the pillars, with their gilded capitals, the lofty vaulting of the roof, the choir spacious within its simple grille, the windows burning with royal fires—fires lighted in the thirteenth century, when stained glass reached its full beauty—the tapestries glowing even in their faded glory. These tapestries always seemed to me the distinctive feature of Reims, the last touch of magnificence to a cathedral already magnificent. They hang all along the aisles on each side of the nave—Gobelin tapestries, Perpersack tapestries, tapestries rarely seen anywhere nowadays save safely stored in museums. It is like the sumptuousness of Reims to display them as if they were as entirely a part of itself as the sculptures of the facade, the angels and monsters of the apse.—Elizabeth Robins Pennell in Century.

Faith In the Clergy.

The highlanders' faith in the clergy has always been peculiarly profound. This characteristic is illustrated, though in rather an exaggerated way, by the story of two old women going along the road after service who were heard to discuss the sermon as follows:

Peggy—Ah, and did you hear that most precious word, Kirsty—a most precious word?

Kirsty—No. And what word was that?

Peggy—Oh, a most precious word, and it's myself that will not forget it, the precious word Nebuchadnezzar.

Kirsty—Oh, yes. But did you hear that other most beautiful word? Myself never heard it said before, the beautiful word Belshazzar.—Caledonian.

No Dishes to Wash.

Happy Madagascarians! They have no dishes to wash in their housekeeping. The large, fibrous leaves of what is called "the travelers' tree," because its stalks on being pierced yield a clear watery sap which makes a refreshing drink, cut into rectangular pieces, serve them for plates, platters, cups and spoons. The rice or other food which constitutes a meal is piled on one of these leaves. A native takes a piece of leaf in each hand, rolled up like a cornet, and with one dips a portion of the rice from one platter into another and on it conveys the food to the mouth. That is all there is of it—no changing of plates, no bother about clearing tables.

A Sheep's Legs.

A nobleman against whom insanity was imputed by his relatives was asked during the examination by Lord Loughborough, "How many legs has a sheep?"

"Does your lordship mean a live or a dead sheep?" asked the nobleman.

"Is it not the same thing?" said the chancellor.

"No, my lord; there is much difference. A live sheep has four legs, a dead sheep but two. The others are shoulders."

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The Dangers of the Mines.

Great and mystically dreadful is the earth from a mine's depth. Man is in the implacable grasp of nature. It has only to tighten slightly and he is crushed like a bug. His loudest shriek of agony would be as impotent as his final moan to bring help from that fair land that lies like heaven over his head. There is an insidious silent enemy in the gas. If the huge fanwheel on the top of the earth should stop for a brief period there is certain death, and a panic more terrible than any occurring where the sun has shone ensues down under the tons of rock. If a man may escape the gas, the floods, the "squeezes" of falling rock, the cars shooting through little tunnels, the precarious elevators, the hundred perils, there usually comes to him an attack of "miner's asthma" that slowly racks and shakes him into the grave.—Stephen Crane.

Ptolemy's Big Boat.

Ptolemy (Philopator) was fond of building big boats. One of these is said to have been 420 feet long, 57 feet broad and 72 feet deep from the highest point of the stern. This vessel had four rudders or what some would call steering oars, as they were not fastened, each forty-five feet long. She carried 4,000 rowers, besides 3,000 marines, a large body of servants under her decks and stores and provisions. Her oars were fifty-seven feet long, and the handles were weighted with lead. There were 2,000 rowers on a side, and it is supposel that these were divided into five banks. That this extraordinary vessel ever put to sea is doubted, but that she was launched and used at times, if only for display, several historians are agreed.

Getting Round It.

A famous mountaineer said of mountain climbing at a dinner in Brooklyn:

"Peaks that seem inaccessible may be climbed by turns and twists. Mountain climbing is a question of getting around the bad places. Getting around your difficulty—that is the secret of mountain climbing. Liszt, the great musician, had the ability to get around things; hence I am sure he'd have made a good mountaineer. Once at a dinner Liszt's hostess cried in a horrified voice that there were thirteen at table.

"'Don't let that alarm you, madam,' said Liszt, with a reassuring smile, 'I'll eat for two.'"

A Narrow Escape.

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at R. R. Bellamy, Druggist.

Academy will be merry soon. **

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Foreclosure Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by Jno. R. Turrentine, Jr., to the Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association, on the 29th of August, 1905, and duly registered in Book 45, pages 164-166 of the Records of the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at Public Auction, for cash, on Saturday, June 15th, 1907 at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in Wilmington, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate in said city, beginning at a point in the eastern line of Fifth street, 99 feet south of the southern line of Walnut street, thence east parallel with Walnut street, 165 feet; thence south parallel with Fifth street, 33 feet; thence west parallel with Walnut street, 165 feet to the eastern line of Fifth street; north with said line 33 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot No. Block 208.

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TO THE BEACH

PASSENGER SCHEDULE BETWEEN BEACH AND WILMINGTON.

Effective May 15, 1907.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
*6:40 A. M.	*7:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	x9:45 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
8:30 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	10:15 P. M.
xx11:00 P. M.	xx11:45 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.
xSunday only.
xxSaturday only.

Passenger Schedule Between Wrightsville and Wilmington—Effective May 15, 1907.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville.
*6:40 A. M.	*6:25 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	*7:55 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	*8:55 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	x9:55 A. M.
1:00 P. M.	10:55 A. M.
and every half hour until	12:25 P. M. 1:55 A. M. and every half hour until
8:30 P. M.	9:25 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	10:25 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	xx11:55 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.
xSunday only.
xxSaturday only.

Freight.

Leave Wilmington 10:00 A. M. and 4 P. M. Freight Depot open from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 4 P. M.
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ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK

The published statement of the Atlantic National Bank shows a LARGER line of Commercial and Personal Deposits than any other National Bank in this State. It seeks such accounts and is especially well prepared to handle them.

It also shows a sufficient amount of money on hand to provide for the wants of depositors—and is one of the few commercial banks doing business in North Carolina that has no need to borrow money.

Its large resources—over one and one-half millions of dollars—is employed in legitimate business enterprises of this section.

Capital - - - $125,000.00
Surplus and Profits 225.000.00
may 26 tf

Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of the Court, all creditors of Neutralgine Chemical Company are required and hereby notified to present their claims duly proven, as required by law, to the undersigned receiver of said Neutralgine Chemical Company on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1907, or this notice will be plead if necessary in bar of recovery.

This 20th day of April, A. D. 1907.
WOODUS KELLUM,
Receiver of Neutralgine Chemical Company.
apr 22 till ju 1

STOCK FOR SALE.

We will offer the public a limited number of shares of stock in the knitting mill to be established at Carolina Beach. Capital $30,000 paid in. Par value of shares $50.00. Each purchaser limited to one share. Quarterly dividend of 27 1-2 per cent. guaranteed. For particulars apply to Fulton House after Wednesday.

E. N. TART,
General Manager.
may 29-2t

Paris Green and Tobacco Twine

5,000 Lbbs. Strictly Pure Paris Green Packed 1, 2, and 5 pound Packages.

4,000 Lbs. No. 1 Tobacco Twine.

300 Bags Rock Salt for Stock.

500 Bags Ice Cream Salt.

8,000 Bags Common Fine Salt.

200 Bbls. Dairy Salt.

We are also Agents for the celebrated Ellwood Fence. All sizes in stock.

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Wholesale Grocers & Importers.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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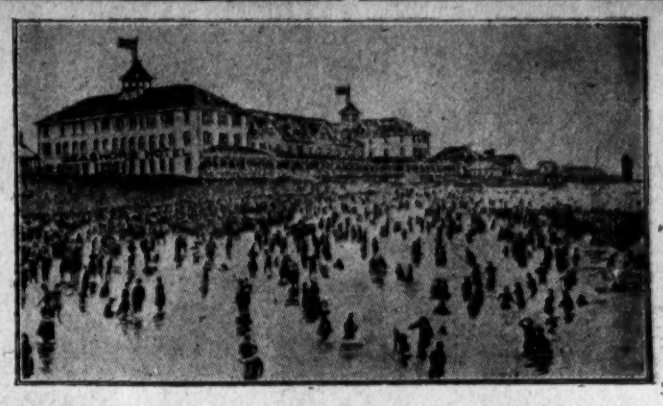

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Under the management of the Hinton Bros. for the past eight years, will open the season June 5th, 1907.

The Hotel has been thoroughly overhauled and renovated. Music the entire season by Professor Weber's Celebrated Orchestra, of Memphis, Tenn. Hotel lighted by electricity. No malaria, no mosquitoes, no flies. Artesian water. No more delightful resort on the Atlantic Coast. For descriptive booklet, rates, etc, address

E. L. HINTON, Manager, Wrightsville, N.IC.
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FRANK HERBST, Sole Agent.
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Atlantic Trust and Banking Co

AT WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the close of business May 20, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans	$696,626 22	
Demand Loans	11,590 00	
		$708,216 22
Due from Banks		31,164 99
Cash Items		1,836 67
Gold		175 00
Silver		152 54
Furniture and Fixtures		100 00
Currency		1,359 00
		$743,004 42

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000 00	
Undivided Profits	25,418 88	
Cashier's Checks	275 85	
Accrued Interest due Depositors	5,000 00	
Deposits	$621,261 20	
Demand certificates	41,048 49	662,309 69
		$743,004 42

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Company do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER,
Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JOHN H. KUCH,
C. W. YATES,
State of North Carolina,
County of New Hanover.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of May, A. D., 1907.
(Signed.) W. B. DRAKE, JR.,
(Commission expires Aug 21, 1907.)
may 26 tf

A Bank For all People.

Depositors who offer modest sums for safe keeping will be accorded the same courteous attention as those who tender thousands.

Borrowers who need small amounts will be given the same respectful consideration as those who require large sums. We hold that all persons are entitled to the same consideration, without regard to the size of the transaction.

The Desirability of our location, our capital deposits of $1,000,000.00, leads deposits of $1000,000.00, leads us to suggest that we be permitted to serve you in a banking way.

Our Aim is always to make our customers our friends. We will appreciate your account, and in our business relations you will find that we will use every effort to be your friend, and to number you among our friends.

These Rules which governed us in the treatment of our patrons in the past will continue to govern us in the future. Your every want, your every requirement will be considered carefully and acted upon at once at the

Southern National Bank
Wilmington, N. C.
apr 30 tf

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—The commencement at the State Normal College, for women, opened at Greensboro on Monday, and it is the most notable occasion of the kind in the history of the institution.

—A little boy named Williams died of starvation at the Twin City Hospital in Winston-Salem on Monday. A few weeks ago he fell and broke his jawbone and had not been able to eat anything since.

—Waynesville, May 28: Frost a plenty this morning which did considerable damage to gardens and the sweet potato crop in Haywood. In the Hazlewood section it played havoc with crops.

—At Ridgeway on Tuesday morning "Uncle" Willis Blackwell, colored, arose to find out that during the night some one had stolen his hive of bees. Another old negro, Elijah Gravitt, was arrested and was bound over to court and committed to jail in default of $100 bail.

—Statesville, May 28: About 200,000 feet of lumber was destroyed by fire at the lumber yards of Tomlin & Creedmore, in Bethany township, this county. The loss is variously estimated, but it is said that the lumber was well insured. The saw mill plant had been removed from the lumber yards.

—High Point, May 28: Forest Carter of this city, who some time ago went to the Missionary Institute at Nyack, New York, graduated today at that institution. Mr. Carter left here in 1905 to prepare himself for work in foreign fields. He will spend a part of the summer here with his paretns and then leave for his field in China, arriving there in the fall.

—Statesville, May 28: It is understood that M. K. Steee & Sons, who operate cotton mills at Turnersburg, twelve miles from Statesville, and who have been looking about in this and other counties for a location for another mill, have about decided to build at Stony Point Alexander county. They had at first thought of locating their new mill in Yadkin county.

—Charlotte Observer, May 28: Charlotte has undertaken a big task, that of securing the next annual convention of the Confederate Veterans of America. Mayor McNinch has already addressed an open letter to the members of the local camp, calling upon them to extend a hearty welcome to the veterans. Business men and others will take the matter up and a strong pull will be made to get the veterans here in 1908.

—The commencement at Davidson College is in prograss and is a big success. However, Colonel John Temple Graves, of Atlanta, who was to deliver the address was unavoidably prevented from keeping his engagement on Tuesday. Instead there was an enthusiastic alumni meeting at which splendid speeches with reference to the college were made by Dr. Henry Louis Smith. Mr. D. F. Henderson and Dr. C. G. Vardell, of Red Springs, N. C.

—Winston-Salem, N. C., May 28: J G. Goldstein was put on trial in the Superior court today on a charge of arson, attempting to burn his home here last September to secure insurance on household property valued at much less than the amount of insurance. Damaging evidence against the defendant was submitted by the prosecution. The case will not be concluded before tomorrow. Goldstein is now a resident of South Carolina. He has been out on bail since the preliminary trial before a magistrate.

—Henderson is to have another cotton mill. At a meeting of the board of directors of the Harriet Cotton Mills on Monday, it was unanimously decided to build and equip Harriet Mill No. 2, at a cost of $200,000. It was decided to apply $50,000 of the Harriet Cotton Mills' surplus to the new mill and issue $150,000 in new stock to cover the ballance. Henderson never was more prosperous than at present. Among the town's prosperous industries is the Corbett Buggy Company which manufactured 5,000 buggies the past year and is constantly increasing its output.

—Durham, May 28: The local merchants are up in arms over freight discriminations and a special meeting of the Retail Merchants Association was held tonight, at which this question was fought out. The merchants claim that Durham merchants and other North Carolina business houses are being discriminated against in favor of Virginia business houses and that as a result the wholesale jobbing interests of this State are being slaughtered in the interest of business houses in Virgina. This matter is fully explained from the standpoint of the merchants in a resolution introduced this evening by Major A. H. Lloyd, himself a merchant and an enthusiastic member of the local association. These resolutions set forth the trouble and state that the whole matter will be presented to the State Corporation Commission and that commission will be asked to present the matter to the interstate commerce commission.

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The latest shapes in Straw Sailors, and The Trimmed Rough Rider Hat are among the latest creations in Millinery, these together with other dressy Summer Millinery are shown in our department.

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Just the thing for Summer wear, lay in a supply at these prices—$1.00 will buy our fine Lawn, Embroidery or Lace Trimmed Ladies' Shirt Waist, worth $1.35 and 1.75 each.

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The C. W. Polvogt Company.

AGENTS LADIES HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS.

may 26 tf

REMOVAL SALE

MONDAY, APRIL 22ND

we will inaugurate a clearance sale, to dispose of, in six weeks, every piece of goods of every kind in our retail stores, No. 129 Market, and 19, 21 and 21 1-2 N. Second streets. We have

About $6,000.00 Worth

of fresh, new, staple goods, but every piece MUST go at some price.

We will occupy our new store in the new Garrell Building June the first. We are determined to not put one single piece in there ever shown on our other floors, therefore must sell what we have on hand.

Some of these goods will go at cost, many below cost, some perhaps at a minimum profit. At these prices, we shall expect CASH. Arrangements can be made to buy at installment, though. In the stock is a solid car of porch goods received this week.

THE WILMINGTON FURNITURE CO.

Now for the Good Old Summer Time

—and for the good new things in Summer necessities for the house, yard and garden—everything that you would naturally look to a hardware store for—we can supply to better advantage than you can get it elsewhere.

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Here are a few of our advance Summer specials:

White Mountain and Arctric Freezers.

Universal Lawn Mowers and any kind of Garden Hose you wish.

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Air Line Railway.

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Direct and shortest line to the principal Cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington as Follows

No 44 at 1:25 A. M. from Charlotte, Rutherfordton, Hamlet and local Stations, connecting at Hamlet with No. 41 from Norfolk and Raleigh.

No. 40 arrives 2:45 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 66 from Jacksonville, No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh and No. 81 from New York and Richmond.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n..	4:00 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Ar Lumb't'n..	6:35 A. M.	6:56 P. M.
Ar Maxton ..	7:25 A. M.	7:55 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet ..	8:25 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet ..	8:45 A. M.	9:15 P. M.
Ar. Monroe ..	10:50 A. M.	11:15 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte ..	11:45 A. M.	12:15 A. M.
Lv. Ch'lotte ..	5:00 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
Ar. Ruth'f'd'n.	9:00 P. M.	1:42 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north, and No. 38 for Raleigh and Portsmouth-Norfolk. At Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta, at Charlotte for Western Carolina Points.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 3.

L. O. RAVIS,
City Ticket Agent.
No. 105 Princess St. Wilmington, N. C.

C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

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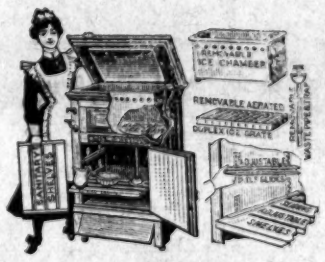
White Mountain



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Wilmington to New York.

S. S. Navahoe....Saturday, June 1st
S. S. Carib.....Saturday, June 8th

Wilmington for Georgetown.

S. S. Navahoe....Monday, May 27th
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Large, Late Deliveries of

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Florsheim, Douglas and Tuttle Low Cuts in newest styles and Leathers, are "Beauties."

To be appreciated—these must all be seen.

Don't buy till you see what we have.

Respectfully,

MERCER & EVANS CO.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Carolina Savings & Trust Co.

Wilmington, N. C.

At the close of business May 18, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Demand Loans	$ 31,112 30	
Loans and Discounts	361,725 25	
		$392,837 55
Furniture and Fixtures		1 00
Due from Banks and Bankers		21,501 41
Cash items		2,784 04
Gold coin		105 00
Silver coin, including all minor currency		63 15
National Bank notes and other U. S. notes		1,775 00
		$419,06715

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$ 25,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid		9,048 08
Deposits subject to check	$311,418 17	
Demand certificates of deposit	71,500 90	382,919 07
Accrued interest due depositors		2,100 00
		$419,06715

State of North Carolina,
County of New Hanover.

I, J. Holmes Davis, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. HOLMES DAVIS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
JAMES G. BARRENTINE,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
GEORGE R. FRENCH,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May, 1907.

W. C. ARMSTRONG,
Notary Public.

may 25 tf

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Coffee and Rice.

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NOTICE

Having associated myself with Mr. D. P. McLean as manager of his contracting business, I solicit all of my old customers for the new firm.

J. W. S. HARVEY.

may 1-1m pd

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 26th, 1907.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

		No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv.	Wilmington	9:45 am	6:35 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	12:50 pm	9:32 pm
Ar.	Rocky Mount	3:55 pm	11:15 pm
Ar.	Weldon	4:55 pm	3:42 pm
Ar.	Norfolk	4:55 pm	7:30 am
Ar.	Wilson	2:00 pm	10:25 pm
Ar.	Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:40 am
Ar.	Richmond	8:00 pm	6:25 am
Ar.	Washington	11:40 pm	8:50 am
Ar.	Baltimore	1:43 am	10:13 am
Ar.	Philadelphia	4:25 am	12:27 am
Ar.	New York	7:20 am	3:00 am

SOUTHBOUND.

		No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv.	New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar.	Philadelphia	1:55 am	12:01 am
Ar.	Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:32 am
Ar.	Washington	3:21 pm	3:45 am
Ar.	Norfolk	6:10 pm	8:25 am
Lv.	Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar.	Petersburg	8:07 pm	9:02 am
Ar.	Weldon	9:57 pm	11:28 pm
Ar.	Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar.	Wilson	11:46 pm	1:58 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	6:40 am	3:12 pm
Ar.	Wilmington	10:00 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	6:35 pm
Ar.	Fl'r'nce	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar.	Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar.	Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm	7:30 am
Ar.	Sav'n'h	6:45 pm	2:45 am	9:54 am
Ar.	J'k'ville		9:00 am	2:20 pm
Ar.	Tampa		7:10 pm	10:02 am

NORTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv.	Jacksonville	9:30 am	9:00 pm
Ar.	Savannah	1:46 pm	1:22 am
Lv.	Charleston	6:12 pm	5:20 am
Lv.	Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar.	Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar.	Wilmington	1:10 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

		Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv.	Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar. 8:15 pm
Lv.	Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar. 4:55 pm
Ar.	Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

		Northbound.	Southbound.
Ar.	Wilmington	2:40 pm	1:00 pm
Ar.	Newbern	6:10 pm	Lv 9:35 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, conecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east, also between Wilmington and Norfolk.

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Ar.	Cincinnati	8:15 A. M. 5.00 P. M.
Ar.	Chicago	5.30 P. M 7.10 A. M.
Ar.	St. Louis	6.28 P. M. 7.15 A. M.
Ar.	Louisville	11.20 A. M. 8.00 P.M.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 29.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Quiet $4.30; (1,200 barrels offered at $4.30 and no buyers.)

TAR—Firm, $2.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm, $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.75 bid for dip and $5.25 bid for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar, firm $1.90; crude turpentine, $2,90, $4.60, and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	66
Rosin	197
Tar	52
Crude Turpentine	48

Receipts same day last year, 80 casks spirits turpentine; 227 barrels rosin; 29 barrels tar; 114 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, steady, 11 7-8.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-8.

Receipts, 54 bales; same day last year, 301.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.45; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 new, $1.20; fancy, $1.25; Spanish, $1.45@$1.50.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N .C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@18c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Firm, 16@17c.

CHICKENS—Firm, 20@35 for small grows 40@50c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 7 1-2@8 per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@10.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—The cotton market was very active today and made new high records on covering and bull support. The close was firm and within a point or two of the best at a net advance of 24 to 38 points. Sales were estimated at 600,000 bales. The opening was firm at an advance of 7 to 17 points on the active demand attracted by the encouraging cables, cool wet weather in the western belt and bullish private acreage and condition reports, one of which estimated a decrease of four per cent. in the area. Another report gave the condition of the crop in Texas 68.2 per cent., and the area of that state at 2 per cent. over last year and still another report estimated the average condition of the crop as a whole at 69 per cent. and the acreage at an increase of 1-2 per cent. These reports, pointing to a very bullish government report next week imparted a very firm tone to the market while bullish sentiment was also encouraged by numerous private wires from the southwest reporting heavy rains and very unfavorable immediate conditions. Some of the larger shorts appeared to be covering in the afternoon and while realizing was heavy on a scale up, offerings were well absorbed and the highest prices were reached in the late session when July sold at 11.25, October at 11.55 and January at 11.77. New Orleans sent very bullish messages here and aws a buyer in the local market while part of the demand was attributed to strong western interests. The local market will be closed tomorrow and New Orleans will be closed next Monday. The government report is expected at noon on next Tuesday.

Receipts at the ports 9,477 bales against 9,225 last week and 11,899 last year. For the week estimated 50,000 bales against 54,432 last week and 78,908 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 1,530 bales against 5,500 last year and at Houston 1,772 bales against 2,294 last year.

Cotton: Steady, 25 points higher; middling uplands, 12.50; middling Gulf, 12.75; sales, 100.

Futures closed firm. Prices ranged as follows:

	Open.	Close.
May	——	11.15
June	——	11.15
July	11.00	11.23
August	10.98	11.25
September	11.07	11.32
October	11.30	11.54
November	11.39	11.60
December	11.45	11.66
January	11.54	11.76
February	11.54	11.79
March	11.60	11.86

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12 1-2; net receipts, 2,646.

New Orleans—Firm, 12 5-16; net receipts 1,530.

Mobile—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts, 116.

Savannah—Steady, 11 7-8; net receipts, 3,714.

Charleston—Easy, 11 7-8.

Wilmington—teady, 11 7-8; net receipts, 54.

Norfolk—Firm, 13; net receipts, 1,148.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13.

New York—Steady, 12.50; net receipts, 639.

Boston—Steady, 12.50; net receipts, 58.

Philadelphia—Firm, 12.75.

Total today at all ports—Net receipts, 9,907; Great Britain, 5,911; Continent, 1,801; stock, 497,652.

Consolidated at all ports—Net rereceipts, 37,107; Great Britain, 6,111; Continent, 8,933.

Total since Stepember 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 9,612,649; Great Britain, 3,605,344; France, 873,268; Continent, 624,333; Japan, 235,139.

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Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 12 5-8; net receipts, 1,772.

Augusta—Steady, 13; net receipts, 189.

Memphis—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts, 238.

St. Louis—Firm, 12 1-4.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 266.

Louisville—Firm, 12 1-4.

Total today—Net receipts, 2,463; gross receipts, 5,694; shipments, 6,001; sales, 1,377; stock, 190,882.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Liverpool, May 29.—Spot cotton small business done, prices 3 points lower. American middling fair 8.13; good middling 7.59; middling 7.05; low middling 6.71; good ordinary 6.05; ordinary 5.67.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,500 American. Receipts 3,000 bales including 2,500 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed firm; American middling G. O. C.: May 6.65 1-2; May and June 6.65; June and July 6.54 1-2; July and August 6.50 1-2; August and September 6.44; September and October 6.35; October and November 6.30; November and December 6.27; December and January 6.25 1-2; January and February 6.24 1-2; February and March 6.25 1-2; March and April 6.26 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 29.—The dry goods market was active during the day in the lines of brown and bleached cottons, domestic yarns, underwear and hosiery, and some lines of men's wear. But there was a generally quiet tone in many quarters, due in part to the approach of the holiday and to the refleciton of a quite trade among retailers. Advances in hosiery and underwear are being made rapidly on account of the higher yarn market.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 29.—Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 2 per cent; ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 2. Time loans slightly firmer, sixty days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent; ninety days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent; six months 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2, sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8675 to 4.8680 for demand and at 4.8350 to 4.8355 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.84 1-2 and 4.87 1-2. Commercial bills 4.83 1-4. Bar silver 67 3-8. Mexican dollars 52.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refining 2s reg	104 1-2
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104 1-2
U. S. Reg	102
U. S. 3s cou	102
U. S. Old 4s reg	101
U. S. old 4s cou	101
U. S. new 4s reg	129
U. S. new 4s cou	129
American Tobacco Co. 4s	72 5-8
American Tobacco Co. 6s	105 1-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 3-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s	71 7-8
Southern Railway 5s	107 3-4
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd	95 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	85 5-8
American Sugar Refining	121 1-4
American Tobacco pfd cert	91
Atlantic Coast Line	96
Baltimore & Ohio	94 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	86
Chesapeake & Ohio	35
L. & N.	111 1-2
New York Central	110 5-8
Norfolk & Western	74 3-4
Norfolk & Western pfd	—
Reading	99 3-8
Reading 1st pfd off'd	75
Reading 2nd pfd	78
Southern Pacific	76 1-2
Southern Pacific pfd	110 3-4
Southern Railway	18 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	56 1-2
Tenn. Coal & Iron	137
U. S. Steel	33 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd	97 7-8
Va-Car. Chemical	25
Western Union	77 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	515
Western Union	77 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—FLOUR—Dull, but steady.

CORN MEAL—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 2 red 1.01 elevator; options, partly half cent net higher; May 1,04; July, 1.05; September, 1.05; December, 1.05 5-8.

CORN—Spot, firm; No. 2, 64 elevator; options partly 1-4c net higher; May, 64; July, 61 3-4; September, 61 3-4.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 55.

LARD—Firm; western prime, 9.20@9.30; refined, firm.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Firm.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Steady; fair, refining, 3.40; centrifugal, 3.90; molasses sugar, 3.15; refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot, quiet; No. 7 Rio, 6 3-4; Santos, 7 1-2; mild, dull; Cordova, 9@12 1-4. Futures, unchanged to 5 points higher.

BUTTER—Firm.

CHEESE—Steady; large and colored, best, 12 1-2; do ,white, 12 1-4.

EGGS—Steady; Western firsts, 16 1-4@16 3-4; official price, 16@16 1-2.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS—Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irregular; domestic, new, per barrel, 2.25@5.75; old potatoes, 2.00@2.35.

CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

COTTONSEED OIL—Steady, under realizing and lack of orders. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, nominal; prime Summer yellow, 58 1-2; off Summer yellow, 55 1-2@56; good off Summer yellow, 56@56 1-2; prime white, 62; prime Winter yellow, 62.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 29.—Additional rains in Kansas and Nebraska caused an early break of nearly a cent a bushel in the price of wheat today, but the loss was recovered later on an active general demand. At the close the July option was unchanged from yesterday's final quotations. September was up 1-4, and December was a shade lower. Corn showed a net gain of 3-8 to 1-2. Oats were up 1 cent and provisions 7 1-2 to 12 1-2 higher.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—July, 9 1-2; September, 99 7-8; December, 1.00 1-2@5-8.

Corn—May, 54 3-4; July, 53 5-8; September, 53 1-2.

Oats—May, 47 3-4; July, 48 1-2; September, 39 1-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—July, 16.37-1-2; September, 16.55.

Lard, per 100 pounds—July, 9.20; September, 9.32 1-2.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—July, 8.82 1-2; September, 8.97 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, 20 cents lower; No. 2 Spring wheat 99@1.04; No. 3, 95@1.03; No. 2 red, 96 3-4@97 1-4; No. 2 corn, 54 1-2@54 3-4; No. 2 yellow, 54 3-4@55; No. 2 oats, 47 3-4; No. 2 white, 48; No. 3 white, 45 1-2@48; No .2 rye, 84; short ribs sides (loose), 8.62 1-2 @8.75; mess pork, per barrel, 16.25@16.37 1-2; lard, per 100 pounds, 9.12 1-2; short clear sides (boxed) 9 3-4@9 7-8; whiskey, basis of high wines, 131.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—Turpentine, firm, 63 to 63 1-2; rosin, quiet; strained ,common to good, 4.85.

Savannah, May 29.—Turpentine, steady, 60; sales, 491; receipts, 695; shipments, 540.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,292; receipts, 1,618; shipments, 275; stock, 38,815. Quote: A. B. C., 4.15@4.25; D, 4.40 @4.50; E, 4.60@4.65; F, 4.70@4.85; G, 4.80@4.87 1-2; H, 5.00@5.05; I, 5.35; K ,5.35; M, 5.50@5.70; N, 5.60; @5.85; W, G, 5.80; W, W, 6.00.

Charleston, May 29.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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Barque Hancock, 348 tons, Erb, Philadelphia, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 29, 1907.

C. C. Railroad—7 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels rosin.

W. & W. Railroad—2 bales cotton, 18 barrels rosin, 5 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—51 bales cotton, 24 casks spirits, 62 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 14 barrels rosin, 32 barrels tar, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N.—4 barrels tar.

Str. Whitlock—27 casks spirits turpentine, 86 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar.

Total—54 bales cotton, 66 casks spirits turpentine, 197 barrels rosin, 52 barrels tar, 48 barrels crude turpentine.

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List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Wm. Neeley, Smith, Norfolk, C. D. Maffitt.

William W. Converse, 654 tons, Williamson, C. D. Maffitt.

Carrie A. Bucknam, 235 tons, Williams, C. D. Maffitt.

Charlotte T. Sibley, 358 tons, Coombs, C. D. Maffitt.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons, Erb, C. D. Maffitt.

—Washington, D. C., May 28: The Southern Railway has according to information obtained here, discontinued all work of improvement on the system. Among other big improvements in progress that have been abruptly brought to a standstill are the enlargement of terminal facilities at Norfolk, Va. The report that the double tracking of the system in North Carolina and other points is to be permanently discontinued is denied. There is a bond issue for this work, and the claim is made that only such improvements are being discontinued as those that require the expenditure of money from earnings.

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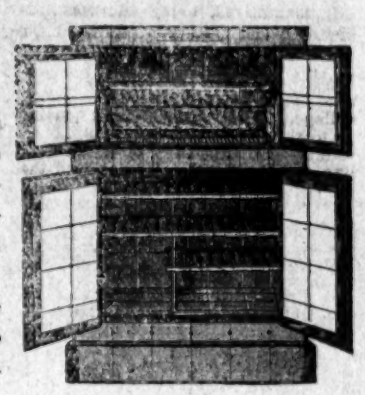

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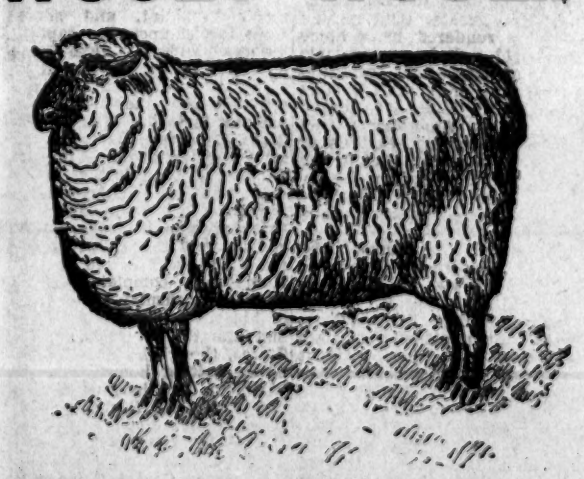

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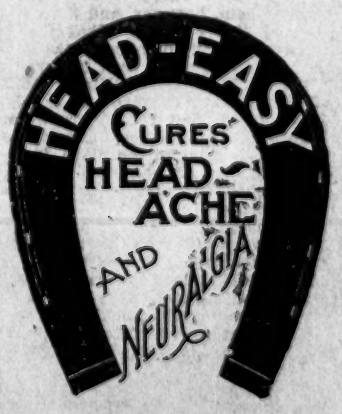

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MRS. M'KINLEY LAID TO REST

Diequieting Rumor That Brother of President McKinley's Assassin Would Attend.

DISTINGUISHED MEN THERE

President Roosevelt, Vice President Fairbanks and Others Attended. Remains Laid in Vault With Those of Husband.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Canton, O., May 29.—The body of Mrs. Ida Saxton McKinley now rests by the side of that of the late President McKinley in the receiving vault at Westlawn Cemetery.

The simple funeral services held at the McKinley residence on Market street this afternoon were witnessed by a distinguished company, including President Roosevelt, Vice President Fairbanks, Governor Harris and many high officials, both of the Nationa and State.

During the funeral and the progress of the cortege to the cemetery, not only all business in Canton, not absolutely necessary, but all amusements, ceased, and school children were dismissed from the day's tasks.

It was close to 1 o'clock when the presidential party, which included Secretaries Root, Wilson and Garfield, General Corbin, and the President's secretary, Mr. Loeb, arrived. The President was driven immediately to the home of Associate Supreme Justice Day, where lunch was served.

Among other guests were Governor Harris and members of the board of the McKinley Memorial Trustees.

The old-fashioned McKinley residence, roomy though it is, was not nearly large enough to accommodate the thousands of people who wished to attend. When seats had been found for the distinguished guests and for intimate friends and relatives, there was little space left. So numerous were the floral remembrance from all over the nation that the greater part of them had to be sent to the cemetery ahead of the funeral procession. The streets in the neighborhood, containing hundreds of carriages, were roped off and the street car traffic was stopped. The police also had been instructed to watch closely for any suspicious persons in the throng.

The heavy, sombre black casket rested in the library, surounded by flowers, in the same place that the body of President McKinley was placed after the tragedy at Buffalo.

The funeral service was brief and was confined to the Methodist Episcopal ritual and four songs identical with those sung at the funeral of the late President. The songs were: "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," "Lead, Kindly Light," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "The Angel."

The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Buxton, pastor of the First M. E. Church, and the Rev. Dr. Holmes ,former pastor of that church.

The pallbearers were: Judge Henry W. Harter, John C. Deuber, Joseph Biechele, Robert A. Cassidy, George B. Frease, who were honorary pall-bearers at the funeral of President McKinley; and Austin Lynch, S. S. Shields and Judge C. C. Bow. Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou was in charge of arrangements at the McKinley home.

The receiving vault, which is still guarded by United States regulars, will be the resting place of the bodies of both Mr. and Mrs. McKinley, until the magnificent McKinley mausoleum, built by public subscription, is completed, probably in September.

The sons of two former Presidents met at the funeral—Webb Hayes, of Cleveland, and James R. Garfield.

Mrs. Fairbanks ,wife of the Vice President, could not attend, owing to illness.

Among the floral remembrances were the following: Vice President and Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, a wreath; Justice and Mrs. W. R. Day, American Beauty roses; Mrs. Garret A. Hobart, flowers; First M. E. Church, large anchor; Miss Eva Booth, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. George B. Frease, roses.

Assassin's Brother Not Present.

Despite a rumor of doubtful origin that Michael Czolgosz, a brother of the assassin of President McKinley, would be in Canton today, the funeral of Mrs. McKinley and the contingent visit of President Roosevelt passed off without incident of sinister note. Taking precautions against the one chance in a thousand that the rumor of Czolgosz's presence here was true, the local police assisted by secret service men from Washington and Cleveland exercised the most alert vigilance during the President's stay in the city. No trace whatsoever was found of Czolgosz, nor any anarchist, although three strangers to the city were held in jail during the President's stay. There was nothing against them, however, and they were released this evening. That the police were taking no chances was made evident by the quick shift in arrangements made at the McKinley home. All friends and relatives of the McKinley family left by the front door to go to their carriages. Crowds had gathered in front of the place, including a number of men with cameras, who wished to catch snap shots of the President. The original plan had been changed, however, and, while the crowd waited on North Market street, the presidential party was led out of the side door to carriages waiting on Louis street. The trip to the cemetery was made quickly and without incident, and fifteen minutes ahead of the appointed time, the President returned to his car.

A large crowd gathered and asked for a speech, but the President merely lifted his hat and wished them "good luck."

Rumor Was False.

Cleveland, O., May 20.—According to a statement made here today by relatives of Michael Czolgosz, the latter is today in Newcastle, Pa., where he went to place flowers on his wife's grave on memorial day. It is declared that Czolgosz had no intention of visiting Canton.

Mr. Roosevelt Speaks Briefly.

Akron, O., May 29.—It was half an hour after the President boarded his car at Canton before it left for Akron Junction. A large crowd assembled in the vicinity in the meantime, and the President several times appeared on the platform and wished the people good luck, to which they responded with rousing cheers. Incidentally, on one occasion he took advantage of the opportunity to say a word about his visit and of the beautiful home life of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley, speaking as follows:

"We have come here today to attend the funeral of Mrs. McKinley. President McKinley rendered very great services to this nation as a public man, but no greater than he and Mrs. McKinley rendered by a home life which could well be an example to all our nation. The essential things, after all, are the homely things. President McKinley served his country as an American citizen should serve his country, in time of war and in time of peace. But it was in the home, perhaps, that, in the devotion to the loving woman we have just buried, he gave the best example to us all."

Vice President Fairbanks, who came from Indianapolis to attend the funeral, occupied a seat adjoining the President's while he was waiting at the station. President Roosevelt introduced his distinguished associate to the crowd and the Vice President bowed his acknowledgement. Mr. Fairbanks will travel with the President to Indianapolis, where the latter speaks tomorrow at the dedication of the Lawton monument.

The President left Canton at 4:35 o'clock and reached Akron Junction at 5:30 o'clock.

His car was switched to a siding until 9 o'clock, when it was connected with a train for Greenwich, O., where a stop was made for the night.

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SPEAKER CANNON AT GUILFORD

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Audience Applauded Him When He Made That Declaration—Distinguished Man Received Marked Attention at Greensboro.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Greensboro, N. C., May 29.—Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, of the House of Representatives, today addressed the students and faculty of Guilford College, within two miles of the place of his birth, the occasion being the annual commencement exercises of the college. His speech dealt mainly with the wonderful progress of the country and especially of North Carolina and the South. He declared that no part of the country, and no part of the South, has made greater strides recently than North Carolina. This afternoon he spoke at the laying of the corner stone of the new dormitory of the College.

A dinner was given the Speaker at the Guilford-Benbow Hotel here this evening ,and this was followed by a reception in the rooms of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Club, which was largely attended by the people of the city. Tonight he left for Washington, accompanied by his private secretary and a stenographer, who came to Greensboro with him.

While in the city the Speaker visited the place seven miles distant, where he was born seventy-one years ago this month, and from which place his parents carried him when he was four years old, to Illinois. He also visited the Guilford battlegrounds, the old Quaker meeting house and other places of interest. This was the Speaker's first visit to the State since he left here many years ago when but a child.

He has been given a royal time in the Gate City, and was the principal speaker at the Guilford commencement, the Quaker College in this State.

The large audience applauded the Speaker liberally, when he said that he was proud of the fact that he was born in North Carolina.

COTTON CONGRESS IN EUROPE.

Compression at Ginneries Favored to Reduce Transportation.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Vienna, May 29.—The International Cotton Congress concluded its sessions today. Resolutions were adopted expressing satisfaction with the promises of the American growers to co-operate in measures for cheapening the processes of the transit of cotton, approving that the utmost support be given to all countries engaged in extending their area of cotton production, and accepting the invitation to hold the next congress in France.

Harvie Jordan, one of the American delegates, said today that his colleagues were greatly satisfied with the results of the congress. They thought the resolutions adopted would have a favorable influence on the American cotton business, especially the resolution in favor of compression at the gineries or at initial points, as this would tend to avoid delays in transportation. Mr. Jordan invited the members of the congress, in the the name of the mayor of Atlanta, Ga., to participate in the International Cotton Congress to be held in that city in October, 1907. About one hundred delegates accepted the invitation.

WAR VETERANS AT RICHMOND

Great Reunion of Confederates Will Begin To-Day at South's Capital.

ARRIVALS BY THOUSANDS

Reception Last Night Attended by Daughter of President Davis and Widows of Stonewall Jackson, Gen. Stuart and Rooney Lee.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., May 29.—The opening event of United Confederate Veterans' re-union, to begin its regular session here tomorrow, was a reception this evening at Lee Camp hall, under the auspices of the Richmond Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, at which a number of noted Southern women were guests of honor among them Mrs. Margaret Howell Hayes, daughter of President Jefferson Davis, Miss Mary Custis Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, Mrs. "Stonewall" Jackson, Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart, Miss Daisy Hampton, daughter of General Wade Hampton, Mrs. W. H. F. ("Rooney") Lee, and others. The function was a brilliant one. The attendance was very large, and included a number of the most distinguished men and women in the south.

Visitors have been pouring into the city all day, by the thousand, Veterans, Sons of Veterans, sponsors and others conected with the Confederate organizations arriving from Louisiana, Texas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Mississippi, Kentucky, Tennessee and other States far and near. The arrivals from North Carolina have been particularly large. The city is profusely decorated with bunting, a notable feature being the fact that almost everywhere the Stars and Stripes have been placed side by side with the Confederate colors. Open house is being kept throughout the city for the gray-clad visitors, and their firends, and in addition a regular camp, which has been named "Camp John W. Gordon," in honor of the chief marshal of the Stuart parade of tomorrow, has been established just west of the city, and here some 5,000 of the visiting veterans will be entertained free of all charge and enjoy the pleasures of "tenting again on the old camp ground."

Tomorrow afternoon the first parade of the reunion will take place, the equestrian statue of General J. E. B. Stuart, erected by the cavalry veterans of the South, being unveiled, and later the memorial day exercises at Hollywood Cemetery being held.

Monday next, June 3d, the monument erected by the people of the South to Jefferson Davis will be unveiled, and this will be the occasion of another notable parade.

The matter of chief moment to come before the present reunion, it is thought, will be the question of a suitable memorial to the women of the South in the period of war between hte States.

Stuart's Grandson Ill.

Newport News, May 29.—J. E. B. Stuart, third son of Capt. J. E. B. Stuart, of this city, and grandson of the famous Confederate cavalry leader, who was to have unveiled the monument to General Stuart in Richmond tomorrow, was stricken with appendicitic last night and an operation will be performed. This will necessitate a change in the plans for the unveiling.

FOUL WORK ON HIGH SEAS

American Sailor Says Captain of Ship Proposed to Scuttle Vessel.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 29.—A charge of barraty, involving the deliberate scuttling of a steamship, has been made as an incident to the investigation by the State Department of the action of William Peter, American consular agent at St. Lucia, B. W. I., in withholding assistance from C. J. Hamilton, an American sailor who claimed to have been abandoned in that port by the Captain of the Argentine Ship Jose Pedro.

Hamilton appeared in person at the Department, having walked to Washington from Baltimore, lacking money to pay his railway fare. In brief he stated that after leaving Jacksonville, Fla., from which port the ship sailed for Buenos Ayres, the captain proposed to him to aid in scuttling the ship. He refused and joined the crew in demanding that the vessel be taken into St. Lucia as being unseaworthy. A survey board there confirmed the men's complaint, and some repairs were forced upon the captain before he was allowed to take the ship out of port. When he did sail away, according to Hamilton, he abandoned the old crew and took aboard some natives instead. Hamilton told the State Department officials that soon afterward he learned that the Jose Pedro had been lost at sea. As the ship was under Argentine register, the State Department did not feel able to investigate the case, but it is presumed that the Argentine government will take notice of the matter. Hamilton's complaint against the American consular agent was because of his refusal in the first case to assist him to return to the United States, though he eventually succeeded in getting home. The State Department has instructed the American consul at Barbadoes, Arthur J. Clare, whose district includes St. Lucia, to investigate the complaint.

Gossard Corset Demonstration.

For the past ten days, Mrs. Lange, an expert corseteire, has been demonstrating the front lacing Gossard corset at the store of the C. W. Polvogt Company. Never has an artistic innovation in dress received a warmer, more cordial welcome from well gowned women than has these corsets. The demonstration will last three days longer. **

SUICIDE WAS CAROLINIAN.

Man Who Registered From Henderson Shoots Himself in New York.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 29.—A man who registered at the New Grand Hotel last night as Albert Crowell, from Henderson, N. C., was found dead in his room today with a bullet in his brain. Near the body on the floor lay a revolver. The police believe the man registered under an assumed name. There was nothing about the man's effects to indicate his identity or explain the cause of his action. The man was about 45 years old.

A smart colored boy about 14 years old, who can come well recommended and who is willing to work, is wanted at The Star office. may 29 2t.

All next week The great Religious Drama, "The Passion Play," of Oberammergau will be presented at the Theatorium, 20 Market street. **

$2.00 Summer Comforts, beautiful patterns $1.50 at Rehder's. may 30 2t

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS.

WANTED—Experienced lady cashier immediately, at The Theatorium, 20 Market street. Reference required. Call between 11 and 1 or address P. O. Box 664. may 30-1t

WANTED—Experienced lady or gentleman to play light music afternoons and evenings at The Theatorium, 20 Market Street. Call between 11 and 1, or address P. O .Box 664.

SWEET PEAS—Ponderosa Tomato Plants, just grown 510 South Third Street. Phone 1249. may 30-1t*

WANTED—At once a clerk who has had experience in the retail clothing and gents' furnishing business. Address The J. W. Fleet Co., No. 7 North Front Street. may 30 1t.

BOARD—Four gentlemen or two couples can get good accommodations at No. 7 South Fourth street. Call and see what we have to offer. Mrs. Allison Alderman. may 29 3t*

BIDS Will be received up to June 15th 1907 for erection of addition to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Wilmington, N. C. Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications can be secured from H. E. Bonitz, architect, or chairman of Building Committee. L. Hanson, chairman Building Committee. may 29 3t.

OUR OPENING was a great success and we are now ready to serve the public with ice cream at any hour. The best cream and prompt delivery is what we have to offer. Ice cream parlors are now ready and we are serving large numbers. Ladies and children especially invited. Candycapps, 123 Princess street. Phone 343. D. L. T. Capps, proprietor. may 28-tf

PINE WOOD WANTED—We are in the market for a quantity of long and short leaf pine wood, to be delivered on A. C. L. in car load lots. Roger Moore's Sons & Co., Wilmington, N. C. may 28 1w

NOTICE—I take this method of announcing that I have recently establsied myself in the general real estate business. I have quite a variety of property for rent and for sale. My friends will please accept my thanks for the patronage which they have kindly tendered me. I solicit the patronage of all. Yours for business. G. W. Shepard, 16 Princess street. 28 6t*

FOR SALE—One pair of Roan Carriage horses, now being used by me; must be sold this week. Apply to James Sprunt. may 28 5t.

A SMART COLORED BOY, about 14 years old, is wanted to bring water, sweep out, etc. Apply at once at the Star office. may 28 1w

FOR RENT—Second floor, No. 116 Market street, containing four large rooms suitable for offices or small family; modern improvements; rents reasonable. Apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. may 26-1w

WANTED—To sell brick. Can ship immediately. Special prices on large quantities. Correspondence solicited. Gilchrist Brick Company, Mullins, S. C. may 26-su we*

SPECIAL RATES for board at the Gilbert House, regular and table board for Summer. Delightful rooms no mosquitoes. A. M. Gilbert. Over the Atlantic National Bank, Corner Front and Princess. may 21-tf

TAKE SHARES in the Hanover Building & Loan Ass'n, and get the habit of saving, a good investment, and a sure way to buy a home. Books now open. First series will open Saturday, June 1st, at No. 207 Princess Street, John J. Fowler, President; J. W. Yates, vice president; H. F. Wilder, Sec'y & Treas. may 23 t ju 1

CLERKS WANTED—Four experienced dry goods clerks. Apply in own hand writing, stating experience, and giving references. Address Clerk, care of this paper. may 19-tf

A YOUNG MAN, 15 to 17 years old, who writes a plain hand, and who is smart enough to learn something, may secure employment by applying at The Star Office. Best recommendations required. may 16-1w

SPECIAL RATES June 1st to June 15th. Tarrymore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, N. C. may 12-tf

FOR RENT—Store in The Garrell Building, southwest corner of Princess and Second streets. Apply to me in the building or phone 317. Jos. D. Smith, agent. may 12-tf

34 YEARS EXPERIENCE—Artistic dyeing; French Dry Cleaning; Steam Cleaning. Dresses, Gloves, Sunshades, Gentlemen's Suits, Panama Hats. Empire Steam Dye Works, 122 Market Street. may 12-tf*

THE OLD ESTABLISHED and reliable Wilmington Pressing Club is still serving its customers with its usual promptness and at moderate prices. Clothes called for and delivered. mch 31-tf

SATURDAY, JUNE 1st.

Deposits made with us on or before SATURDAY JUNE 1st, will bear interest from that date.

YOUR BUSINESS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

ORTON HOTEL BUILDING. BRANCH 704 N. FOURTH ST.

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A POTION GAINST THE ILLS OF AGE

Our Port Wine is a blood enriching, stimulating Wine. By using a moderate quantity you are apt to live longer, and get some joy out of life as the days go by. If you prefer Sherry, Sauterne, Claret, Rhine or Mosel Wines, Whiskies or Brandies, they are here at low prices.

ATLANTIC CAFE *Opposite A. C. L. Depot*

GIESCHEN Bros. Propts

may 15-tf

GEO. O. GAYLORD!

Big Department Store,

WILMINGTON'S MOST COMPLETE STORE, with fifty fully equipped departments, selling everythtng for wear and for the home. A vast store that every business day in the year affords exceptional opportunities for economical shopping. Anything you may want in Dry Goods, Millinery, Carpets, Curtains, Furniture, Crockery, House Furnishing Goods, Gents' Furnishings, Clothing, Hats, Caps and Shoes.

This Week's Specials

25 Doz. Ladies' Belts in white and black large buckles, all sizes. 10c.

Children's Sox, plain in white, black and tan, all sizes, 10c.

Children's Sox, drop stitch in all colors, 25c values, 15c pair.

Ladies white and black drop-stitch Hose, special 15c pair.

200 pieces of Remnants of Matting, from 5 yard to 20, will be sold less than cost this week.

100 Ladies' white linen Parasols, $1.25 kind this week, 98c.

Be sure and see our line of Ladies' Muslin Underwear on display this week.

Buy your Boy's Clothing from us this week—greatly reduced.

Our line of Boy's Wash Suits 50c to $2.00 is complete.

We give green Trading Stamps with every 10c purchase.

GEORGE O. GAYLORD,

Wholesale and Retail Millinery.

may 26 tf

Shafer Hams and Ferris Squares

Roe Herring, Evaporated Apples and peaches. Prunes.

If you want something good, just try our Block Butter. Fresh each Wednesday.

CROW & TAYLOR. Grocers

may 29-tf

State of North Carolina, New Hanover County.

Rosa L. Harley vs. James Harley.

It appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff that defendant is a non-resident of the State and cannot, after due diligence, be found in this State—and that this a suit for divorce on the ground of adultery, the defendant having abandoned plaintiff and left the State and married one Mary C. Younger in Philadelphia, and that a cause of action exists in favor of plaintiff against defendant, now the defendant is notified to be and appear at the next term of the Superior Court of this County, to be held in Wilmington on Monday, the 22nd of July, 1907, and answer or demur to the complaint this day filed or judgment will be granted according to the prayer thereof.

This 28th day of May, 1907.

JOHN D. TAYLOR,

Clerk of Superior Court of New Hanover County.

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WHITE RICE.

3,700 POUNDS RICE, 2 1-2C POUND
2,800 POUNDS RICE 2 3-4C POUND
6,900 POUNDS RICE 3C POUND
1,100 POUNDS RICE 3 1-4C POUND
2,600 POUNDS RICE 3 1-2C POUND
3,300 POUNDS RICE 3 3-4C POUND
4,100 POUNDS RICE 4C POUND
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6,700 POUNDS RICE 5c POUND
1,800 POUNDS RICE 5 1-4C POUND
2,400 POUNDS RICE 5 1-2C POUND
2,200 POUNDS RICE 5 3-4C POUND
4,600 POUNDS RICE 6C POUND

W. B. Cooper,

Wilmington, N. C

may 19-tf.